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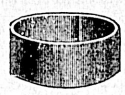

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To Dean & Cryderman, druggists,
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WANTED—Man to canvass for the Paisley Dye Works 116 Yates street. fe21-2t

WANTED—To rent a house containing about five rooms, with bath room. Must be within ten minutes walk of post office. Address, stating rent per month, Y.M.L., Colonist. je21-2t

WANTED—Parties wanting to borrow money on Victoria real estate repayable by easy monthly payments call on the Dominion Building & Loan Association. A. W. More & Co., agents, 70 Douglas street.

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TO LET—Furnished house, 5 minutes' walk from centre of city, containing eight rooms, bath, hot and cold water and conveniences; rent $40 a month. Apply J. E. Crane & Co., 30 Broad street. je21-1t

LOST—Lady's gold watch on Government or Fort streets. Finder please leave it at Colonist office. je21-1t

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NOTICE—Mr. Homfray begs to inform his friends that owing to his failing eyesight he finds himself unable to recognize his many friends, and hopes this will be held as an excuse for any involuntary oversight on his part. je10

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STANFORD UNIVERSITY
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AT CALEDONIA PARK,
THIS AFTERNOON
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WILL HOLD THEIR
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—ON—
WEDNESDAY, 4TH JULY

The programme will consist of the Caledonian Games of Auld Scotia, the latest amusing novelty races, races for amateurs only, for which handsome gold and silver medals and cups are offered, and a grand tug-o'-war.
In the evening Dancing on the spacious platform will take place, for which the best of music will be furnished.
The grounds will be splendidly decorated and during the evening illuminated. Refreshments can be had on the grounds
Programmes of Sports, etc., will be published in a few days. Every lady on entering the grounds will receive a ticket for the GRAND TOMBOLA, to be drawn at the conclusion of the Sports, the prizes for which will be on exhibition in the window of T. N. Hibben & Co., Government street.
Admission 50c; children under 12, 25c
je21-td EDWIN C. SMITH, Secretary.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 29
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A Pool Handicap will open after the first night. Mr. T. W. Carter, the Proprietor, having offered two handsome trophies, valued at $30 and $15 respectively, for the best players. Entries free; eighteen to start.
je21 T. W. CARTER, Proprietor.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

TENDERS

Will be received up to 4 o'clock p.m., Friday, June 22, for the delivery of Haddington Island stone from Haddington Island quarry; price per cubic measure. Tenders to be addressed to the office of the Works
je21-1t FREDERICK ADAMS.

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SOCIAL REFORM.

"The New Party" Whose Formation Is Advocated by Prominent Writers.

Mr. Gladstone a Leader of the Kind the Movement Desires.

LONDON, June 20.—A book urging the formation of a new party will be published to-morrow. It is entitled "The New Party." The editor, Andrew Reid, says in a chapter under the caption of "Our Policy," that the coming party must be devoted to the cause of Social Reform and will therefore be opposed to the existing parties. Nevertheless he is of the opinion that the Tories, whom he regards as more favorable to Social Reform than the Liberals, might be good allies for the present, and a temporary alliance with them is recommended. A chapter by Lady Henry Somerset appears under the caption of "Women's Cause." In referring to Mr. Gladstone's retirement, she remarks pointedly that his name was "unsullied by the Gambling Turf." "He is," she adds, "a leader of the kind that the new party desires." Among the 26 other contributors to the book are William Pollard Byles, Liberal M.P.; Keir Hardie, Labor M.P.; Grant Allan and Sarah Grand. The majority advocate a strongly Socialistic programme.

MUTINY AND MURDER.

Brutal Conduct of a Ship's Crew—The Captain's Sad Story—The Offenders Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The British ship Inverurie arrived from Newcastle, N. S. W., yesterday after a sensational voyage. Among the passengers were Eustace Alexander, son of a Melbourne tobacco merchant, who eloped from Sydney, leaving a young wife and child behind him. He presented himself to Captain Willox of the Inverurie as Dr. C. H. Armitage and stated that the woman who accompanied him was his wife. Shortly after the ship sailed from Newcastle Captain Willox had occasion to reprimand the first mate, Anderson, for inattention to duty. The latter, however, with the assistance of the alleged doctor, succeeded in winning most of the crew over to his side, after which the ship was one continuous scene of mutiny, culminating in the death of the captain's wife.

About two weeks ago Mrs. Willox began to prepare for confinement and a week ago last Friday Dr. Armitage was called in. Captain Willox, as a majority of British captains are, is fairly well skilled in surgery, and was not satisfied with the manner in which the supposed doctor was treating his wife, and he so expressed himself. In trying to eject the doctor a row ensued in which the first mate took a hand, and the sailors joined in open munity and helped lock the captain in the carpenter's house, from which he secured his release shortly after his wife had given birth to a lifeless child. He was allowed to see the infant, which was buried at sea a week ago Wednesday.

The captain realized that he had odds against him, and prayed for peace until land was sighted, but such was not his fate. With the aid of the second mate, John Jones, and the ship's carpenter, he managed to control the crew for a while, but the trouble was soon renewed. Shortly after the child had been born the captain was informed that his wife was very low, and in his grief he drank a cup of brandy which he believes was drugged, for when he recovered from its effects he found himself locked in the carpenter's house again, but with the aid of the carpenter he was released, but when he appeared on deck and demanded an explanation of the treatment he had received, the first mate ordered the crew to put a straight jacket on him and lock him up again.

On Saturday morning he was released and went to his wife's bedside. That evening she died. On the arrival of the ship Captain Willox had the body of his wife removed to the morgue, and reported the facts to the British consul. Alexander and his companions were landed from the Inverurie in charge of a sergeant of police. They will be kept under surveillance until some action shall be taken by the local authorities and the British consul. Acting Quarantine Officer Williams says that the dead woman had been maltreated in a fearful manner, and that there is no doubt in his mind that murder was committed.

LATER—There htve been no more sensational developments in the hideous story of the voyage of the bark Inverurie across the Pacific from Newcastle. Captain Willox, the second mate and the carpenter, who remained loyal friends to the captain during the recent mutiny, went ashore and devoted considerable attention to the preparations for the funeral of Mrs. Willox, which took place to-day. The captain has not yet preferred a formal charge against the first mate and his men. He will probably first devote his attention to the inquest which is to be held to-morrow.

MURDER OR SUICIDE.

Suspicious Death in a London Hotel of a Well Connected Medical Man.

LONDON, June 20.—A well dressed couple took a room on Monday evening at a second class hotel at Westminster. They had breakfast in their bedroom yesterday morning. About noon a chambermaid was unable to enter the room or get any response to repeated knocks. As there was no sound of life in the room the proprietor became convinced that something was wrong and had a porter enter the room by a window. The woman had gone and the man lay dead on the bed. An empty bottle which had contained poison stood on the bureau. The dead man was identified to-day as Dr. Tyler, son of Sir John William Tyler, superintendent of the central police, N.W.P., India, a resident of Agra. The police have not yet found the woman.

Dear Sirs—I was suffering very much from diarrhœa, and could get nothing to cure me. A friend told me of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and a few doses completely cured me. Thos. L. Graham, Melita, Man.

The Bank Exchange Dining Parlors,
The coolest and cosiest place in town. Ice Cream.

NICARAGUA CANAL.

Proposals Looking to the Carrying Out of This Important Project.

WASHINGTON CITY, June 20.—The unsettled details of the Nicaragua canal bill which will be reported to the house have been cleared up at a meeting of the subcommittee. There will be recommended a directorate of eleven members, eight government directors, one representative of the company, one from the government of Nicaragua and one from Costa Rica. Three government engineers will have charge of the work. It will be provided that dividends shall not exceed 5 per cent., so that a sinking fund may be established. The government share of the dividends will be credited to a sinking fund. Some members of the committee think the debt can be raised in twenty five years on the lines laid down. Bonds have been practically decided upon for the whole amount, as the proposition to coin silver involved troublesome complications and opposition. However, that section of the bill is left subject to change, so that if any plan involving the use of silver seems practicable it can be adopted.

RETURNED SEALER.

Severest Spring Ever Experienced in Southeastern Alaska.

PORT TOWNSEND, June 20.—The schooner George H. White arrived here from Sitka this evening, with her firearms and ammunition under seal. Off Middleton island, May 30, the revenue cutter Corwin boarded the White, sealed up the arms and ammunition, left copies of the President's proclamation and the acts of parliament relative to sealing and ordered the White to return to Puget Sound. Captain Chenoworth, of the White, says the weather along Southeastern Alaska this spring has been the severest experienced in years. Snow has been unusually deep. The penalty for illegal sealing under the British law is forfeiture or a fine not to exceed £500. The American law prescribes absolute forfeiture of the vessel and in addition the officers can be imprisoned, or both. He avers that with any kind of luck a sealer can well afford to pay a fine of £500 and then realize a handsome profit. The White has eighty-two skins. The British sealer C. D. Rand went into Sitka with 350 skins, discharged the white crew, employed Indians instead and prepared to sail for Behring sea. The bark Mars has 132 barrels of oil and one sperm whale.

DUTY ON DIAMONDS.

Sensation Caused by Teller's Proposal to Increase the Tariff.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—At the request of Senator Teller yesterday his amendment to increase the duty on diamonds from 15 to 30 per cent. ad valorem, which would restore the rate fixed by the house in the Wilson bill, was passed over. It will be considered again before the bill is reported to the senate.

NEW YORK, June 20.—The Press this morning prints the following:

"LONDON, June 19.—Senator Teller's proposed high tariff on diamonds is causing a sensation here, where the Rothschilds have recently bonded £4,500,000 sterling (nearly $20,000,000) of bonds for the South African diamond trust. Besides these bonds the Rothschilds are known to be very largely interested in the stocks of the diamond trust. The proposed high tariff would produce a great fall in the value of the immense stock of unsold diamonds on hand and greatly reduce the dividends to holders of the trust's stocks, which have for years past been 25 per cent. A cable received by the officials of the trust from Premier Rhodes, of Cape Colony, it is stated, declares that Secretary Carlisle promished last March that the senate would modify the high duty put on diamonds when the Wilson bill passed the house."

The Teller amendment increasing the duty on diamonds to 30 per cent. is regarded as a blow aimed by the leader of the free American silver men at the Rothschilds, the leading bankers in Europe, who have done so much to maintain the single gold monetary standard. The Colorado senator and ex-Speaker Reed have considered various forms of discriminating duties against those countries which oppose an international agreement for the free use of silver.

FAVORING THE CHINESE.

The Presbyterian General Assembly Asks for the Removal of the Restrictions Now Existing.

ST. JOHN, N.B., June 20.—At the Presbyterian General Assembly an overture was presented, signed by about half the Assembly, seeking co-operation with other churches in pressing on the government to remove the restrictions on Chinese immigration. A committee was appointed to carry out the prayer of the overture. The Moderator spoke of the Chinese, showing that many ideas regarding them are very wrong. Not one objection had he heard raised to Americans and Canadians while in Formosa. The question is simply one of right. He regretted with deep sorrow that Canada should pass such a law. The overture was passed by a standing vote.

GERMAN SUGAR TRADE.

How to Develop this Important Industry.

BERLIN, June 20.—The Freisininge Zeitung in a leader on the sugar business says: "If the agrarians ruled in Germany, we should be on the "high road to a tariff with the United States, which would be certain to have disastrous results to the great branches of German commerce. Why should we fight America simply in the interests of German sugar works? The only reasonable course for Germany to take is to recur to the bill of 1891, abolishing export premiums. That would lead to the soundest development of the German sugar industry."

Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco Has No Equal. Have You Tried It?

Mantels, grates and tiles, at McLennan & McFeely's. *

CAPITAL NOTES.

French Treaty Ratification Bill—For the Intercolonial Conference—The Insolvency Bill.

Items of Interest to British Columbia in the Supplementary Estimates.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 20.—The bill to ratify the French treaty was introduced to-day. Several government measures were advanced.

Mr. James Huddart arrived to-day to attend the intercolonial conference. G. R. Parkin also arrived as the representative of the London Times.

The Turcotte case had to be postponed to-day.

The Insolvency bill received its third reading in the Senate to-day, the six months' hoist being negatived by 40 to 9. Senator McInnes voted with the minority.

The supplementary estimates for the current year were brought down to-day. They include the sum of $3,500 to pay the crown agents of the colonies brokerage on the B. C. loan redeemed, also a salary to Rev. Mr. Gowan, Protestant chaplain of the British Columbia penitentiary; $42,000 for the William Head quarantine; $57,000 for Behring sea matters; and $5,000 for the intercolonial convention.

THE MEGANTIC OUTLAW.

Donald Morrison, Who Was Released From Penitentiary Only to Die, Formerly a Cowboy.

MONTREAL, June 20.—Donald Morrison, known as the "Megantic outlaw," who died six hours after having been reprieved, has been serving an eighteen years' sentence at St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary for the killing of an American named Warren, who had been appointed by the Canadian government to arrest him for alleged arson. Morrison, who was born on the borders of Maine, emigrated to New Mexico and became a cowboy. There he acquired the wonderful accuracy with the pistol which afterwards made him such a terror to his pursuers. He was about 30 years of age when he returned to his native village with about $1,000 in his pocket, bent on redeeming his father's farm, which was held on mortgage. He had spent the greater part of his money thus, when the mortgagees managed to obtain another mortgage. Soon afterwards the buildings on the farm, then occupied by another person, were burned and Morrison was accused of arson. Local officers being unable to arrest him, L. F. Warren, who had a bad record, was appointed to do it. Warren said he would shoot Morrison on sight, and when they met it was a question of who could shoot first. Morrison got the drop and killed his man. For a long time Morrison eluded capture, but on Easter night, 1884, he was shot and captured near Megantic. He was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to 18 years.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Archbishop Tache Slightly Better — C.P.R. Damages in the Mountains Repaired.

WINNIPEG, June 20. — (Special) — Archbishop Tache shows a slight improvement since 5 o'clock this morning. At that hour he was in a very critical state, nor is he yet out of danger, but he is resting tranquilly and is not suffering. His temperature is lower than it was, which of itself is a good sign.

General Superintendent Whyte has returned from the scene of the floods in the mountains, where the damaged portions of the C. P. R. line have been repaired.

It has been decided to tender a banquet to the Australian delegates to the Ottawa conference on their arrival in the city on Friday night.

The Manitoba and Northwest Methodist conference opens here to-morrow.

RAN INTO AN ICEBERG.

A Labrador Schooner Goes Down With Twelve Persons on Board.

ST. JOHNS, N.F., June 19.—The schooner Rose, bound from Labrador for Conception bay, collided with an iceberg yesterday and went down almost immediately, carrying twelve persons with her. At the time of the collision there was a thick fog, and it was impossible for the lookout to see a ship's length ahead. The Rose had a crew of fifty-five persons. The forty-three survivors jumped aboard the berg as soon as the collision took place and remained there several hours, suffering great hardships. After they had almost abandoned hope another fishing craft hove in sight and they were taken safely aboard and landed.

CIRCULATING FALSE REPORTS.

Trial of Reporter Robb Again Adjourned—Statements of Witnesses for Defence.

VANCOUVER, June 20 — (Special) —The trial of S. R. Robb, for the alleged circulation of false reports detrimental to the C. P. R., was again adjourned to-day. Messrs. Russell and Hamersley supported Lawyer Davis, who was prosecuting on behalf of the C.P.R, the two former gentlemen respectively representing the Province and the City. Messrs. W. H. Gallagher, F. Evans and F. W. Hart gave evidence for the defence, deposing that they heard reports of a similar nature to the report alleged to have been sent out by the accused and before the date of the dispatch produced.

A Run Down System.

UPPER SUMAS, B.C., May 10, 1891.—I suffered from a general run down system and distress of the stomach after eating. I have taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsparilla and I am much better.

Hood's Pills cure sick headache, biliousness.

The Bank Exchange.

Luncheon will be served as usual, and this evening at 15 cents.

Drink Victoria Phœnix Lager Beer.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Washington Farmers For the Northwest—Fraser River Flood Sufferers.

Mining on the Mainland—Some of the Results of the Inundation.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 20.—A party of Washington farmers arrived in this city last evening from Seattle and registered at the Depot hotel. They are twelve in number, and leave to-morrow for Edmonton, N. W. T., where they will take up land and engage in agriculture. Those of the party who have families will send for them as soon as they are settled in their new home. The emigrants are all of the right class and each brings a considerable sum of money with him.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 20.—The local temperance lodges are again petitioning the city council to pass by-laws that will permit of the police enforcing the Sunday closing regulations of the liquor act.

Mr. A. Bullock, an extensive property owner in this city, has secured the names of a large number of representative business men to a petition calling upon the council to bring in a fire limit by-law. The object of the petitioners is to prevent as far as possible any further increase in insurance rates.

The fund already raised in this city for the relief of the sufferers of the Fraser river floods will be augmented by a grant from the city council of about $200. It is expected that the ladies' committee will, in one way and another, secure several hundred dollars for this object

The probabilities of the construction of the electric railway this year are growing remote. It appears that the old charter has expired and there is no certainty as to whether the company will be able to secure a new one. The council is, under the circumstances, unwilling to take any decided steps and it is quite likely that the scheme will fall through for a time at least.

Chief Scales is urging the improvement of the city fire department and advocates the purchase of a chemical engine, an addition of 1,500 feet of hose, the installation of a fire alarm system and the fitting up of the new fire hall in modern style. His progressive ideas do not meet with favor in the eyes of the city fathers, though that material changes are needed is made painfully evident whenever the fire alarm bell rings. It may be taken for granted that nothing in the direction desired will be accomplished this year at any rate.

A concert will be given at Northfield next Saturday evening in aid of the family of Wm. Hughes, who lost their home in the fire.

W. McGregor, manager of the New Vancouver Coal Co. mines, has been elected school trustee, by acclamation, in place of Dr. Praeger, resigned.

Grand Master Gray this evening instituted a new lodge of I. O. O. F., the third in this city.

Minnie, daughter of Richard Freethy, a miner of this city, is missing. Her parents have seen no trace of her since Monday and are greatly alarmed at her prolonged absence from home. The police have the matter in hand. No clue to her whereabouts has been obtained as yet. The girl is twenty years old.

NEW DENVER.

(From the Nelson Miner.)

On Monday of last week no fewer than six new locations were recorded during the day.

There are upwards of twenty men prospecting in the North Thompson mineral region.

Slocan lake is higher than it has been for the past two years at all events, and most probably for many years before.

Mr. Carter, of the No. 1, informs us that the concentrator is doing good work, putting through about twenty tons a day.

The Wakefield, Silverton, Alpha, and Reid and Robertson groups are preparing to ship ore as soon as the Nakusp & Slocan railway is finished. Trails are being made to the mines and other necessary arrangements put in order.

The Dardanelles mine is closed down, owing to the pumps being insufficient to carry off the water. It is expected that work will be resumed in four or five weeks. About 2,000 tons of ore are stored in the ore house at the mine, and about 300 tons more have been sorted and await shipment.

During the week Mr. Moore, Mr. McKenzie, Mr. Milligan and numerous other mining men have been in town. Mr. Moore intends to put up a concentrator in the Idaho basin, and work will be started on it shortly. Mr. McKenzie is the capitalist for whom Mr. McNaught obtained a bond on the Alpha group. All parties are agreeably surprised with the property, and considerable work will be carried on during the summer months.

NELSON.

(From the Tribune.)

Eight tons of ore shipped from the O. K. mine at Trail to the Tacoma smelter gave a return of $175 in gold per ton.

The government wharf at New Denver went afloat during the storm of Sunday; but was recovered and towed ashore by men whose property interests are centered four blocks to the north of where the wharf was first located.

Chief engineer Roberts of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard states that very little damage has been done the roadbed from here to where it first touches the Columbia river, but from that point to Northport the track follows closely to the river and is in bad shape. The bridge over the east fork of Cottonwood Smith creek is the most serious difficulty they will have to contend with on this end of the road.

The only mining news of importance is the reported sale of the Black Prince claim in Lardeau district. The sale was made through Messrs. Murphy and Gilhooley of New Denver, the purchasers being the Moore syndicate of Duluth. The Black Prince was located by a painter named Brown, and was owned by him and T. A. Mills of Nelson. The purchase price is said to be $8,000.

The water in Eagle and Forty-Nine creeks is falling, and operations are now progressing satisfactorily at both the Poorman mill and the works of the Nelson Hydraulic Mining Company. At the latter place the ditch and flume will be enlarged and extended as soon as lumber can be got on the ground.

Although Kaslo suffered greatest by the storm on Sunday, few places in Southern Kootenay escaped without some damage. At Ainsworth all the buildings along the water front were wrecked. At the sawmill side of Pilot Bay half a dozen buildings were shattered. At New Denver, Hunter & McKinnon's new store was twisted out of plumb, and Wharton's building on Sixth street was wrecked. At Silverton the buildings erected by the Middough syndicate were wrecked. At Bear lake George Hughes' headquarters camp was damaged. The little steamer Surprise was sunk in Pilot bay, and miles of telegraph and telephone wire brought to the ground by falling timber. No damage was done at Nelson.

The road between Kaslo and New Denver is impassable from fallen timber, mud slides and washouts. From New Denver up to Three Forks the wagon road is practically wiped out, as is much of the grade of the Nakusp & Slocan Railway. From Three Forks to Watson, the road is too soft for travel, and is in the same condition between Watson and Sproul's. At Whitewater creek the bridge is left standing, but new channels have been cut on each side of it. The same thing has occurred at the creek at McDonald's halfway house. To the east of McDonald's, for two miles or more, the road is literally filled with down timber. Gangs of men have been sent out from Kaslo to put the road in repair, but it is doubtful if it is passable for teams before the middle of July.

It will take fully $50,000 to repair the damage already done on the Columbia & Kootenay railway. The track between Nelson and the crossing of Kootenay river is all under water, and the bridges are all either afloat or washed out. The track at the big bluff, to the west of Slocan river, has slid into Kootenay river. At Robson the water is a foot deep in the depot and the track is covered as far east as Sproat's landing. The Pass creek bridge is afloat, and the one across the slough to the east of Sproat's is in bad shape. On the Nelson & Fort Sheppard the bridge across the east fork of Cottonwood Smith creek is suspended in the air, five of the bents having been knocked out by the breaking of a jam. Over one hundred feet of the embankment on the south side of the bridge was also washed out.

CITY MARKETS.

Values Easier With More Plentiful Supplies—The Need of Cold Storage Demonstrated.

There seems to be a general loosening in the current quotations this week, and although the change is not noticeable in every line of trade the tendency is in that direction. Fruits, vegetables and garden truck, together with the seasonable products of farm, dairy and sea have taken up almost entire possession of the market; still business has not materially increased, though its distribution appears to be more satisfactory. As yet but little freight has arrived from the East. For Seattle alone there are eighteen car loads of pork en route from Chicago, and this, as well as numerous shipments for Victoria, has been on the road for weeks. In the meat market a slight weakness is apparent, though not as yet affecting the retail trade. Certain kinds of fish, too, are plentiful, and one steamer which brought in a big cargo from the Cape Flattery fishing grounds experienced much difficulty in disposing of it, having successively tried Victoria, Nanaimo and Vancouver. This is one of the many illustrations of the need here of cold storage facilities, which it is satisfactory to know are shortly to be supplied. Much of the hay in the country has been cut but has not yet been stacked.

Current retail quotations are as follows:

FLOUR—Ogilvie's (Hungarian) per bbl	$ 5.50
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	5.50
Premier	5.50
Three Star	5 25
Victoria	5.25
Lion	5.25
Royal	5.25
Portland roller	5.00
Salem	5.00
Wheat, per ton	35.00@40.00
Oats, per ton	35.00@40.00
Barley, per ton	32.00@35.00
Middlings, per ton	32.00@35.00
Bran, per ton	25.00@27.50
Ground Feed, per ton	30.00@35.00
Corn, whole	45.00
" cracked	50.00
Cornmeal, per 10 lbs.	40
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs	50
Rolled Oats, per lb.	5
Potatoes (new,) per lb	2
Cabbage, per lb.	3@4
Cauliflower, per doz	1 00
Rhubarb, per lb	04
Hay, baled, per ton	17@18.00
Straw, per bale	1.00
Onions, per lb	05
" Silver, per lb.	06
Eggs, Island, per dozen	25@35
" imported	12½
Butter, fresh	25@35
" Creamery, per 3 lbs.	1 00
Cheese, Canadian per lb., retail	20
Hams, American "	20
" Canadian "	18
" Boneless "	20
Bacon, American, per lb	18@20
" Rolled "	14
" Long clear "	15
" Canadian "	18
Shoulders, per lb	14
Lard "	18@25
Golden Cottolene, per lb	20
Meats—Beef per lb	8@15
Sides "	8@10
Mutton, per lb	8@12½
" Frozen, per lb	8@11
Pork, fresh, per lb	10@15
Chickens, per pair	1,00@2.00
Turkey per lb	18@25
Geese per lb	16@25
Pigeons, each	25@35
Fish—Salmon (Spring), per lb	10@12
" (Smoked), "	8@10
Halibut	8@10
Cod, per lb	5@8
Smal fish	5@6
Smelts, per lb	8@10
Fruits—Apples per lb	5@6
" (Australian) per lb	10
Oranges (Australian) per doz	25@30
do. (Naval) "	40@50
do. (Mexican) "	25@30
do. (Fiji) "	25
Limes, "	10
Lemons (California) "	35@40
" (Australian) "	25@40
" (Sicily) "	40@50
New Orleans Bananas, per doz	45
Pine Apples, apiece	25@30
Honolulu Bananas, per doz	25@35
Tomatoes, per lb	20@25
Cherries, "	15@20
Apricots, "	12½@20
Peaches, "	1½@20
Plums, "	20@25
Gooseberries, per lb	8@10
Strawberries, "	8@12

Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco Has No Equal. Have You Tried It?

Some people laugh to show their pretty teeth. The use of Ivory White Tooth Powder makes people laugh more than ever. It's so nice. Price 25c. Sold by druggists.

IF YOUR TONGUE IS COATED YOU NEED THEM

ESELJAY'S LIVER LOZENGES.

They are not a cure all, but are the best medicine known for Biliousness, Headache, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Pimples, Sallowness and all diseases arising from impure blood or sluggish liver.

25 CENTS A BOX

Ask Your Druggist For Them.

No Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco Is Genuine Unless It Bears The Derby Cap Shaped Tag.

A Bright Lad,

Ten years of age, but who declines to give his name to the public, makes this authorized, confidential statement to us:

"When I was one year old, my mamma died of consumption. The doctor said that I, too, would soon die, and all our neighbors thought that even if I did not die, I would never be able to walk, because I was so weak and puny. A gathering formed and broke under my arm. I hurt my finger and it gathered and threw out pieces of bone. If I hurt myself so as to break the skin, it was sure to become a running sore. I had to take lots of medicine, but nothing has done me so much good as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It has made me well and strong."—T. D. M., Norcatur, Kans.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Cures others, will cure you

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—By competent hand, dressmaking and all kinds of plain sewing for ladies and children. Address M. A. R., Colonist office. je20-3t

A SKILLED CARPENTER will give his labor, erect buildings, in exchange for ranch land. Address Carpenter, Colonist Office. je19-6t

WANTED—Girl for general housework, at Union, B.C. Apply from 12 to 2 and 6 to 8 in the evening. Mrs. Leiser, 93 Pandora street, city. je19 tf

WANTED—A situation as lady help. Pearl, Colonist office. je17-6t

WANTED—Situation as general servant; good cook. Apply M., Colonist office. je12 9t

WANTED—By experienced young English lady position as stenographer and typewriter; good reference. Address L. H., 708 4th street, Seattle, Wash. je5 1m

WANTED at No. 81 Johnson street, cast-off clothing, boots and shoes. my29-1m

WANTED—500 steady customers, with the cash to buy the old reliable Wellington Coal, weight and quality guaranteed. Apply to Hall, Goepel & Co. ja14

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Strawberries—Picnic parties and church socials supplied with fine, fresh berries on short notice; English gooseberries, strawberry rhubarb, from Mrs. P. Wilson's fruit garden; also a large stock of groceries, which will be sold at hard times prices; all goods delivered. Leave orders at Mrs. P. Wilson's, 185 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—Four horses, wagons and harness, dump cart and scrapers. Apply Noel Leclair, 56 Pembroke street. je17-1m

FOR SALE—Two fresh calved cows. Apply to M. Finnerty, Spring Park Farm, Finnerty Road, Victoria District. je17-4t

FOR SALE—2 acres land, Lake District, part section 43, on road to Saanich; new 4 roomed house (furnished); outbuildings; good garden. Apply to G. M. Anderson, 107 Douglas street. je16-1m

FOR SALE—Six-room cottage, two lots, garden, fruit trees, tennis lawn, etc.; house very well built, bathroom and all in first-class order; one of the best locations in town: on the Fort street tram line; price $2,750; rents for $20 per month. Apply J. E. Crane, 30 Broad street. je8-1m

FOR SALE—One lot on Oak Bay avenue; price $300. Apply J. E. Crane, 30 Broad street. je8 1m

FOR SALE—A splendid property, about one and a half miles from city, containing about six acres, three acres of which are planted in fruit trees and small fruits; good seven-roomed house and outbuildings, all in good condition; can be bought cheap and on easy terms. Apply Bargain, Colonist office. je8 1m

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Furnished Rooms for ladies or gentlemen, with board if desired. Apply 19 Kane street. je19 6t

BACHELOR establishment in James Bay has a vacancy for two gentlemen; comfortable quarters. Address Bachelors, Colonist office. je17-tf

TO LET—Beacon Park (Goodacre Lake)—House 10 rooms; all modern conveniences; rent $20 to suitable tenant. Apply Coltart & Jenns, Colonist Block. je14-tf

TO LET—Esquimalt road, near switch, new five roomed cottage with 2 acres cleared garden land; rent $15. Apply Coltart & Jenns, Colonist Block. je14-tf

TO LET—A nice cottage; 5 rooms, bath and all modern conveniences; $9 a month; one 4-roomed, $5. Apply 185 Douglas street. je13-1m

FURNISHED rooms with or without board. Meals if desired. Permanent boarders $6 per week. Douglas House, 5 Gordon St. Jun 10 6t

TO LET OR LEASE—American Hotel, with 20 rooms and saloon license; bar and bar fixtures complete; central location. Apply 16 Trounce avenue, or Burnes House. ja5-tf

TO LET—Large front room; ground floor; Rae street, facing the Cathedral; suitable for two gentlemen, if required. Address H. F., Colonist office. mr9

TO LET—New 7-roomed house, with cellar, Pandora avenue; completed about 1st of June; $16. Seven-roomed house, Craigflower Road; good view; $16. Nine-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay; $18; water paid. Two 5-roomed houses, John street; $10; water paid. Two houses, Chatham street, $14 and $12.50 (respectively). Ten-roomed house; hot and cold water; 2 lots; Garbally Road; $20.

TO LEASE—160 acres, Shawnigan district; 4-roomed cottage and barn; $175 and taxes per year. Twenty acres; no improvements; Cadboro Bay. Eighteen acres; Cadboro Bay.

FOR SALE—Acre blocks in Woodland Park, Tolmie Estate, just outside city limits. Ten-acre blocks in Lake District.

Lawnton & Oddy Accountants, Auditors, Assignees, Public Accountants.

BUSINESS CHANCE.

FOR SALE—A first-class paying, going Lunch Room, Confectionery and Catering Business, in a good stand in Vancouver. To right man a good opening is offered at a very reasonable price. J. W. McFARLAND, je20-3t P.O. Box 203, Vancouver, B.C.

HEADQUARTERS —FOR— Everything Economical and Useful.

The advantage in having a "GOOD REFRIGERATOR" is very apparent during these hot days; all sizes in stock.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS are Indispensible Articles for Picnic Parties, Garden Parties, Home Use, &c.

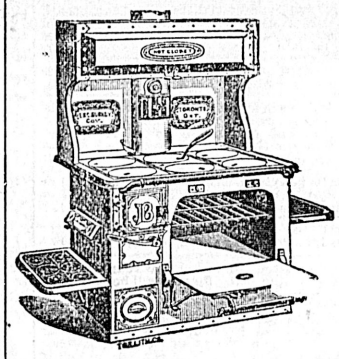
HOUSE CLEANING is necessary we know, but why get overheated? When you can make labor a pleasure by the use of a "CARPET SWEEPER."

AWNINGS made up in any style, for Stores, Public Buildings or Private Houses.

NOTE—Our Latest Arrivals include Oilcloths, Plain Linoleum, Printed Linoleum, Cork Carpet, Japanese Crepes (very pretty), and some very choice things in "Jute Brocades," suitable for Curtains and Coverings.

WEILER BROS.

CHEAPSIDE GEO. POWELL & CO'Y. THIS WEEK



We are selling cheaper than ever.

GARDENING TOOLS OF ALL KINDS.

LAWN MOWERS, RUBBER HOSE, LAWN SPRINKLERS.

Cheapside, No. 127 Government Street.

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all taxes levied under the Assessment Act are now due for the year 1894. All of the above-named taxes collectable within the Electoral Districts of Victoria City, Victoria, Esquimalt and Coast Districts, are payable at my office.

Assessed taxes are collectable at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1894—
One-half of one per cent. on real property.
Two per cent. on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One half of one per cent. on income.

If paid after June 30th, 1894—
Two-thirds of one per cent. on real property.
Two and one-half per cent. on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income.
Provincial Revenue Tax, $3.00 per capita (Victoria City excepted).

CORNELIUS BOOTH, Assessor and Collector.

January 2nd, 1894. ap19-td

REWARD.

A Reward of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) will be paid for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who, on or about the morning of the 13th inst., placed or caused to be placed or exploded, a bomb or other dangerous explosive on or near the premises of Alexander Sharp, at Wellington, in the County of Nanaimo.

Signed,
R. DUNSMUIR & SONS.

Victoria, B.C., March 16th. 1894. mr17

NOW IS THE SEED TIME

And if you would reap a good harvest of Vegetables and Flowers,

PUT IN GOOD SEED.

These we sell in all the well known and leading sorts. Also now ready, and thousands to select from,

DECORATIVE AND FLOWERING PLANTS, SHRUBS, ETC.

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To ascertain the percentage of precious metals recovered by this process and the cost of treatment.

EXPERIMENTAL WORKS LOCATED AT VANCOUVER, B.C.

Full particulars may be obtained from W. Pellew Harvey, F.C.S., (after June 1st) the Company's Superintendent, Vancouver. my22-tf

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Rooms 44 and 45 Five Sisters' Block, Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

A. Keefer, M.I.C.E H. B. Smith, M.I.C.E

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands for the purpose of quarrying stones, commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 50, Renfrew District, running north 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 50 chains to shore line, thence following shore line to point of commencement.

F. W. VINCENT. May 30th, 1894. je1-30t

TO SMOKERS

MORRIS' SOUVENIR WATCHES.

GET A MORRIS SOUVENIR CARD

Each card is numbered. Your card may secure you a perfect Stem Winder Watch, which are now on exhibition in our window. Buy your

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At Morris', the Leading Tobacconist, and obtain a card. These Souvenir Watches are in our window, and are to be presented to the holder of the Morris Souvenir Card Corresponding with the numbers that will be selected every week.

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Tel. 435. P.O. Box 175. ap24-9mo

NOTICE.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Sidney Land and Improvement Company, Limited Liability, will be held at the Company's Office, 28½ Broad Street, Victoria B.C., on Tuesday, the 10th of July, 1894, at 2 p.m., to consider a proposition to divide property and assets of the Company among the Shareholders, and to wind up the Company.

ROBT. IRVING, Secretary. je17-5t

NOTICE

A meeting of the Creditors of the late firm of Green, Worlock & Co., will be held at the Board of Trade Room on FRIDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF JUNE, 1894 at 3:30 p.m.

J. STUART YATES, ROBERT BEAVEN, Trustees of the Estate of Green, Worlock & Co.

Victoria, 15th June, 1894. je16

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April, 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 29th March, 1894. fe10-td

ELECTION CARDS

TO THE ELECTORS OF Victoria City Electoral District

GENTLEMEN:—The general election now being near at hand, and being a candidate for re-election, I wish to place my views on some of the questions commanding your attention, as well as to intimate the line of action which I shall take and the measures which I shall, if opportunity permits, support and maintain.

The party now in power have practically held office for over eleven years. Their policy has been an indefinite one on many of the questions requiring consideration. At the last general election the Opposition advocated reform in the land laws of the province, and have been able to make some important changes.

The privilege of allowing speculators and non residents to take up large tracts of land has been taken away and the lands are now available for actual settlers.

By the efforts of the Opposition the assessment of wild land has been much improved; the ad valorem principle of assessment according to the land value, is now the law.

There are two essential matters yet to be carried out in connection with the encouraging of agriculture settlers. First, the surveying of available lands for such a purpose and giving the necessary information by the Lands and Works Department; second, the making of roads to such settlements, so that the farmer may be able to bring his produce to market—such a policy as this must be adopted in order to develop and encourage the farming industry of our Province. By so doing we shall add much to our wealth and prosperity.

The railway policy of the Government has not been a business-like one. From the time of the grant given to the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway down to the Nakusp & Slocan deal, the interests of the Province and the welfare of the people have not been well guarded. On the one hand a corporation receives a large subsidy and an immense tract of land, free from taxation for ever; on the other, a private company is subsidized by guaranteeing the bonds to the full cost of the road as well as interest on the same for twenty-five years. One cannot but come to the conclusion that a Government policy of such a character is likely to bring the credit of the Province into disrepute.

Monopolies of any kind are to be deplored; but monopolies backed by Government aid and support are often the most difficult to overcome. Government aid to such an extent as has been given in the instances referred to precludes other roads from being assisted or built. As an instance of this we recognize the difficulty the British Pacific Railway will have in dealing with the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway and its existing rights. Thus by the action of the present Government in the past it looks as if the province were at the mercy of ringsters and monopolists who are despoiling the people of their heritage.

I am opposed to the executive using its power to make large appropriations of money by special warrant for roads, streets, bridges and public works, without first submitting such to the legislature. Such a course of action leads to favoritism and corruption and is not in accord with the principles of constitutional government.

I have advocated, and will continue to do so, the reduction of taxation on improvements and the abolition of taxes on mortgages. The latter impost presses doubly hard upon the borrower, and the repeal of this law would be in the interest and for the advancement of the province.

The practice followed on the eve of a general election of promising aid to public works and institutions by members of the executive should be condemned, as it is attempting to bribe the electors with their own money. The independent electors should answer this by sending men to the Legislature who will do their utmost to remove such ministers from power.

During the past four years legislation has been brought about, chiefly by the Opposition, in reforming the school Law. The residents of the cities have now greater power over the management of their schools, and more is yet desired in this particular. I shall use my best endeavors to bring this about, so that our schools may be free of all political influences.

I have also advocated further restriction on Chinese immigration and the employment of Chinese by any company seeking charters or grants from the Legislature. I have advocated and still maintain that a clause should be inserted in all bills giving such privileges or aid to prevent the employment of this class of labor.

I also have advocated the necessity of employing residents of the Province instead of non-residents or foreigners in the prosecution of all works or contracts let by the Government.

It is impossible in an address of this kind to touch on all questions affecting the Province. I hope, however, before long to have the opportunity of addressing the electors in public meeting, at which time I will refer to matters more extensively.

Hoping that my past record as a representative in the Local Legislature has been acceptable to you, I again seek your votes and support.

I remain, yours respectfully,
G. L. MILNE. jn9

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of Dogs are requested to take notice that the Tax for the year 1894 on every Dog within the City of Victoria, is now due. The provisions of the Pound By-law and the Revenue By-law, 1893, will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect above tax. CHAS. KENT, Collector.

City Collector's Office, Victoria, B.C., May 2nd, 1894. my3-2m

NOTICE.

Superior Street, between Oswego and Menzies, will be closed to public traffic till further notice.

(Signed) E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.

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NOTICE.

Government Street, between Queen's Avenue and Bay Street, will be closed till further notice

By order.

(Signed) E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.

May 28, 1894 my29-tf

NOTICE

FOURTH STREET, between King's Road and Bay Street, is closed to traffic until further notice.

(Signed) E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

The undersigned will make loans from $1 to $1,000 on any approved security.

VICTORIA LOAN OFFICE, 133 Government Street. Private entrance on Pandora Street. oct8

SHORTHAND.

Pitman's System, taught in twenty-five lessons for $25. Proficiency Guaranteed. Apply C.D.S., 62 John St., Rock Bay. ap14

GONE TO SING SING

Erastus Wiman Sentenced to Five and a Half Years in the Penitentiary.

History of the Mercantile Agency—Wiman's Opportunities to Get Rid of Evidence.

NEW YORK, June 20 —Erastus Wiman was to-day sentenced to five and a half years in Sing Sing. In an interview in the Tombs yesterday he said :

"I do not wish to pose as a martyr ; I have spent my life as a business man and regulated my conduct and utterances on a business basis. I do not wish to change now. I do not undervalue sentiment, but I think of Goldwin Smith's words, "He is a cynic who despises sentiment ; he is a fool who builds upon it.' Am I a forger or not ? If I was a partner in Dun, Wiman & Co., I am no forger ; if I was not a partner I am a forger.

An able lawyer had mentioned to the interviewer that the great question involved was one of intent ; that there is no doubt Mr. Wiman could have destroyed vouchers which were used to convict him of the crime of forgery, and that if he had felt himself a forger he would have destroyed these vouchers. When this was mentioned to Mr. Wiman he said :

"I could have destroyed these vouchers, every one of them." He rapidly sketched on a sheet of paper the interior of the Dun-Wiman office. "There was Mr. Dun's desk ; he rarely occupied it. Here was my desk, and there was the cashier's desk. I could have destroyed any vouchers. Is it likely that if I forged or did any wrong that I should have let the evidence remain ? And the idea of such forgeries ! If I had wanted to forge I could have forged for half a million as easily as falling off a log. At the time that cheque was made I had indirectly $200,000 of the agency's money standing at my order."

For some time Mr. Wiman reviewed his work in building up the Dun-Wiman agency, saying :

"I had never less than twenty libel suits on hand at any one time. There was a great deal of delicate work about adjusting some of them. It was necessary to use money sometimes and not to do it in too marked a way because of the principle of the thing. Think of the work I did to prevent hostile legislation that threatened the Dun-Wiman business. Seven states at one time were trying to legislate us out of existence. Once I spent a month at Harrisburg and worked night and day with the legislators. At a critical moment I needed to influence the senators. I sent telegrams differently worded to all my agents in the state. I ordered them to get those telegrams signed by the biggest men in their localities and repeat them back to the senators. When the crowd of telegrams protesting against the proposed legislation began to pour in the senators felt that they were threatening the state's business and interest, and I was all right."

"I wanted an editorial and get it in the Harrison Patriot. The editor could not do it because the printers were on strike. I set up the editorial matter myself, composing it as I went along. The striking printers threw stones through the window at me, taking me for a rat, but I explained things to them and then threw them $100 for their fund. That editorial was a great success. It was by such ideas and schemes as that that I built up the business that now pays $500,000 a year to the men who are trying to drive me to prison. The difficult task was to get sober men for agents and to make them do our work for nothing. I drove from one town to another in my buggy. I selected my business man and saw him in the evening, often dining with him. I found out what sort of thing amused his wife. If she was musical I bought her a lot of music ; if she liked books I got books. To-day the concern gets news from 100,000 agents, not one of whom is paid a cent. I do not pretend to be a methodical business man, and I know I have done many careless things. A man who has genius enough to make $80,000 a year is not apt to be much at keeping books. The two do not go together. I am a very careless fellow.

"People have talked a great deal about my vanity ; perhaps there has been some vanity in my life, but there was more than that. I had to make the mercantile agency respectable, and to do that I had to make myself respected and well known as the head of the agency. Whatever I may have done to add to my reputation, making speeches, etc , has put money into the pockets of those whom I have built up. That confession and my letters to Dun generally are difficult and delicate to treat. It is hard for one not acquainted with the circumstances to understand the matter. Mr. Dun had come to look upon himself as almost a little god ; he liked to be addressed in that manner. When I was forced out of the firm and these matters were discovered, as they call it, Macfarland talked to me in a way that induced me to write as I did. He urged me to turn over to the firm the property which I had in my wife's name ; it could not be in my name because I was not a citizen of this country. I was told that my wife, on turning over all she possessed, would be looked after by Dun ; that she would get $12,000 or $15,000 a year for life. Macfarland said to me, 'Wiman, there are lots of irregularities here ; now you turn over that property and get out. Spend the rest of your life quietly. Write for the North American Review, or go to England, or deliver lectures throughout the country. I believed him and acted upon his suggestion, but I can see now how hard it must be for those letters to be understood by those ignorant of the circumstances."

With considerable strength and energy Mr. Wiman made the point that if he is guilty of forgery now he was guilty a year ago, and that those who accuse him, knowing a year ago what they know now, were compounders of felony for one year The hope of his friends was, he said, that it would not be thought necessary to make him associate with criminals in prison for a long time.

Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco Has No Equal Have You Tried It ?

My feet were so badly swollen that I could not wear my shoes. I got Yellow Oil, and to my astonishment it gave instant relief, and two bottles completely cured me. Mrs. W. G. McKay, Berwick, Ont.

Hurrah ! the picnic takes place next week ; but how shall we keep the ice-cream from melting ? You can buy one of those Ice-cream Freezers at Weiler's, and it will be all right.

Churns, milk pails, etc., at McLennan & McFeely's.

SALVADOR AND THE U. S.

A Dispute Similar to That Which Recently Occurred Between Brazil and Portugal.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—It is singular that the dispute that broke out between Brazil and Portugal through the reception of political refugees on the latter's war vessels should be so quickly followed by a like controversy between Salvador and the United States. The parallel is all the closer from the fact that not only was the asylum in each case furnished by a war vessel, but the refugees in both instances included the vanquished leader in a civil war.

After all there are differences. The Brazilian revolutionists had never been recognized as belligerents, whereas President Peixoto was the head of the only lawful government there. On the other hand, General Ezeta, up to the very hour he took refuge on the Bennington, was vice-president of the government, treated by the United States as the only lawful authority in Salvador, while those who overthrew that government were not dealt with or recognized at all. The precise point, however, which makes this difference important is that while in Brazil order and law reigned at the downfall of the rebellion and the machinery of justice was in operation, at San Salvador all seems to have been in confusion at the overthrow of the constitutional parties. The very dispatches which brought the news of the success of the insurrection, declared the success of the revolution was certain.

Commander C. M. Thomas of the Bennington reported an almost chaotic condition of affairs in the republic. To have given up the refugees would have been, in his opinion, their surrender to immediate slaughter, without the protection of law or the formalities of a trial. In other words, he exercised that privilege of asylum which is based simply on considerations of humanity. The establishment of a firm government and the restoring of peace and the due process of law in Salvador seem likely to be followed by surrendering the Bennington's refugees to the new government. Meanwhile the chief care of Commander Thomas probably is to see that they do not escape from his ship, for the experience of Portugal in that respect has conveyed a warning likely to be heeded.

CABLE NEWS.

Local Self-Government Throughout the Empire—Resignation of Sir Edward Malet.

Vernon Harcourt to Be Elevated to the Lords—Argentine Customs Duties.

LONDON, June 20.—Sir George Grey, ex-governor of New Zealand, speaking at the National Liberal Club, advocated a large extension of the system of local self-government in every portion of the Empire. Sir George said that he believed that very little would be required to make the United States and Great Britain absolutely one people for common objects. The acceptance of the principle of arbitration of disputes had already made a practical unity.

The Standard, commenting on Sir George Grey's speech, says there is no need to seriously criticise so airy a dream. America was inhabited by a people still closer akin to us than its present people, yet war against the colonists was exceedingly popular in England.

The Anglo-American lodge of Free Masons installed Mr. Reynolds as master last night. The company included Bros. Laurie, of Nova Scotia, and Lovejoy of Quebec. Mr. Lovejoy was elected an honorary member. Both gentlemen responded to toasts.

Muley Mohammed, eldest son of the late sultan and a pretender to the throne, has been imprisoned at Marakesh by order of his brother, Abdul Aziz, the sultan, and compelled to sign an act of adhesion to Abdul Aziz. The position of the latter has been secured by his being recognized as sultan by the powerful shereef of Wezan. The towns of Marakesh and Mequinez and the chief of the independent Zayan tribe have promised Abdul Aziz to place 3,000 armed men along the road between Fez and Mequinez for the purpose of keeping order

It is reported in Berlin that Sir Edward Malet, British ambassador, has sent his resignation to his government in London, stating as his reason for wishing to retire that it is impossible for him longer to successfully represent the interests of England at the court of the Kaiser since, owing to the acts of the British cabinet, the confidence of the Emperor has been lost. The Kaiser has, it is said, bitterly reproached the British cabinet for taking unfair advantage of his straightforwardness in dealing with England, and also accused Sir Edward Malet with having countenanced the English cabinet's duplicity. Sir Edward Malet, it is asserted, protested to the Kaiser against the accusation, declaring he was as much surprised as the Kaiser. The Emperor, according to report, informed Sir Edward that England could thank herself if henceforth he should reverse the friendly policy of Germany and return to Prince Bismarck's distrust of everything English. The report cannot be confirmed at the British foreign office. It is surmised that some trouble has arisen out of the Anglo-Belgian treaty regarding the Kongo frontier which has caused a friction between the German foreign office and the British ambassador, but the report of the latter's resignation is not generally credited.

A parliamentary committee in Argentine has recommended that the following customs duties be imposed upon imports from the United States of North America : Kerosene, 1½ per cent. per litre ; pine and spruce lumber, 5 per cent. ad valorem ; pitch pine the same ; agricultural machinery valued above $200, 5 per cent ; under $200, 25 per cent.

Sir William Harcourt will, it is reported, retire from the Commons at the close of this session, and will be elevated to the House of Lords. The choice of Liberal leader in the Commons lies between Bannerman, Asquith and John Morley.

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NOTICE is hereby given that James Isbister of the village of Esquimalt, British Columbia, on the 16th day of February, 1894, applied under the Quieting Titles Act for a Declaration of Title to Lot Number 11, part of Suburban Lot 55, Esquimalt District, according to Map Numbered 10, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, and he has filed a petition and produced evidence before the Honourable Mr. Justice Walkem, whereby he appears to be the legal and beneficial owner of the said land in fee simple in possession. Any person having or claiming any title or interest in the said land or any part thereof, is required on or before the 16th day of July, 1894, to file a statement of his claim, verified by affidavit, with the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, and to serve a notice thereof on Mr. Alan S. Dumbleton, 51 Langley St., Victoria, B.C., solicitor for the petitioner, and in default of so doing, every such claim will be barred and the said James Isbister will be declared the legal and beneficial owner in fee simple in possession of the said piece or parcel of land free from all rights, interests, claims and demands whatever, except and subject to the reservations in the 23rd Section of the said Act, and therein numbered respectively (a) and (b).

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ALAN S DUMBLETON,
Solicitor for the Petitioner.

Approved,
GEO. A. WALKEM, J.
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"PECULIAR TACTICS."

The Times on Tuesday evening had a characteristic leader headed "Peculiar Tactics." It purported to be a criticism on the speeches at the Government meeting the previous evening, but it was mainly an effort to mislead its readers on the question of the Canada Western. It was characteristic because it was untruthful, and was based on the faint and only hope the Opposition has of defeating the Government, by arousing sectional feeling. In its familiar vein it went on to say that—

A curious circumstance is to be noted. Last evening Mr. Davie said the promoters of the railway had in a letter which he read in the house last year submitted a proposition, namely, that the government should guarantee the interest on $6,000,000 of bonds. This he said was not a "business proposition." It so happens that at the recent Westminster meeting Mr. Davie *contradicted Mr. Brown when the latter said such a letter had been read.* The incident was fully reported by the World, which drew the conclusion that Mr. Brown had been convicted of falsehood by the Premier.

Then after quoting an editorial from the Columbian, which, by the way, did not have the hardihood to allege that Mr. Davie had denied the reading of the letter referred to, it adds:

Mr. Davie's tactics in regard to this letter are somewhat peculiar. He first withheld it from the printed return, then he in effect denied at Westminster that it had been read in the House, and after that at last night's meeting he volunteered the statement that it had been received and read by himself in the House.

When we quote the reports of what was actually said on this matter at Westminster, we think the public will conclude that the "peculiar tactics" are entirely on the other side. The Columbian's report of the meeting in reference to the Canada Western is as follows:

On the Canada Western question, continued Mr. Brown, Mr. Davie said that no business proposition had ever been made to the Government. But the lawyers of that syndicate had written to the Government and said they wanted their time extended for a year, and, at the same time, had declared that they could never go on with the scheme unless the Province guaranteed their bonds. In the face of that, the Government had extended the time. (Applause.)

Mr. Davie showed great signs of agitation here, and exclaimed, excitedly: They did not say so!

Mr. Brown—I only know what you said.

The World reports it as follows, making Mr. Brown state that "Mr. Davie said that no proposition had been made or laid before the Government regarding the Canada Western."

Mr. Davie—I did not. What I said was no business proposition. (Applause.)

Mr. Brown—That letter, which Mr. Davie read in the House, stated distinctly, pointedly and particularly, that unless the Government were prepared to give the guarantee of interest on the $6,000,000 asked, it was of no use extending the time for commencing the work or doing anything further in the matter.

Hon. Mr. Davie—The letter did not contain such statements.

Mr. Brown—It did.

In neither report is the slightest intimation, nor can the inference be drawn, that Mr. Davie even wished to convey the impression that the letter was not read in the House.

The only question as between Mr. Brown and Mr. Davie on the platform related to the contents of the letter read by him in the House on the 10th of April, 1893. This letter was from the solicitors of the Canada Western or British Pacific Co., and was printed in full in the COLONIST of the 11th of April, 1893.

The proceedings of the House of that time as reported in all the newspapers show that the letter was read, and Mr. Davie would be very foolish, as a mere matter of policy, to attempt to deny that fact. He had no reason to deny it and did not.

What Mr. Davie did deny was that the letter contained any such statements as Mr. Brown alleged it did. We have looked up the letter in question and find that Mr. Davie was absolutely correct in making the denial he did. The letter does not state explicitly or by implication that "unless the Government were prepared to give the guarantee of interest on $6,000,000 asked, it was of no use extending the time for commencing the work or doing anything further in the matter," thus proving Mr. Brown, as well as the Times, guilty of deliberate falsification.

The Times and the Columbian will find the letter in the COLONIST of April 11, 1893, and they are at liberty to publish it. If they have not the files of the COLONIST at their disposal and they request it we shall take pleasure in reproducing it, though somewhat lengthy. The question now is will the Times and Mr. Brown have the manliness to admit that they misrepresented the matter—to speak of their conduct in no stronger terms. We should be agreeably disappointed if they did.

INTOLERANT POLITICIANS.

We are not surprised that the meeting in Vancouver on Tuesday evening was noisy and disorderly. There are a good many impulsive persons in that city who seem to have a notion that what they do not approve of ought not to exist. But they will have to learn that quiet people are not to be bullied out of their opinions and that they will in the long run have their own way in spite of violence and clamor. The comparatively few intolerant persons in Vancouver who will not listen to what those who differ from them in opinion have to say and who will not allow their fellow-citizens to listen are not the first men in the world who have tried to have their own way by preventing the free expression of opinion. But they have not accomplished their purpose, and it is not likely that they ever will. We have liberty of opinion and liberty of speech in spite of all that they have been able to do. It is singular that men who profess to be the greatest lovers of freedom and who are the loudest advocates of liberty of speech, are sometimes in practice the most arbitrary and the most unreasonable of tyrants. A Government that would attempt to prevent free men from expressing their views on public subjects and that would send men to break up a public meeting would be promptly condemned by the great majority of the people, and any means that might be taken to hurl it from power would be considered justifiable. Yet this is precisely the kind of tyranny that the Vancouver howlers attempted to exercise. We believe that the majority of them, if they once realized the nature of their own act, would be thoroughly ashamed of themselves and would cease from attempting to impose mob tyranny on their fellow citizens.

But this kind of tyranny is abortive. The howlers can disturb a public meeting and prevent a public speaker from being heard, but they cannot prevent those who disapprove of them and their methods voting in the way they think best. Happily our laws make it impossible for the mob that attempts to suppress freedom of speech to take a single step towards interfering with the freedom of election. The elector whom they will not permit to listen to a speaker at a public meeting in peace, can as yet mark his ballot in perfect security. This would not be the case long if the violence which makes public meetings scenes of turbulent intolerance and disorder were permitted to produce its natural and its logical results. It is the interest and the duty of all law-abiding and freedom-loving citizens to nip this kind of tyranny in the bud. Its tendency is to grow until it becomes intolerable.

A SIGNAL FAILURE.

The failure of the Democratic party in the United States is proclaimed by those who a little while ago were its warmest friends. Its action both with respect to the silver question and the tariff has not been what was expected of it. Owing to the dilatoriness and the half-heartedness of the Democratic senators the repeal of the Sherman act was delayed until the country appeared to be on the brink of ruin. Public confidence in the soundness of the government on the currency question, which was then so rudely shaken, has not yet been completely restored. No one can tell what measures may be taken by a legislature that has shown itself incapable of dealing promptly and firmly with that very important question.

The way in which the Democratic party has broken its pledges with respect to the matter of tariff reform has disgusted millions of intelligent men in the United States. That party was elevated to power pledged to effect a sweeping reform of the tariff. It condemned the fiscal policy of the Republican party in the strongest terms, and it was returned by a large majority to do away with that policy and to establish in its stead a policy based on altogether different principles. It has not obeyed the mandate of the people, and it has not been true to its principles or its pledges. Congress has spent months in tinkering the tariff, and the work, so far as it has gone, is the McKinley Tariff modified. It is a protective tariff, and not a tariff for revenue alone, which was what the Democratic party promised the people.

The condemnation of the Democratic party has extended to the President. It is said that he has not been true to his principles. That he is a "shorn Samson." That he has succumbed to the wiles of the Delilah of Party and is no longer a terror to the Philistines, Democratic and Republican, who use public position to increase the gains of private citizens. Harper's Weekly, which was until lately an ardent admirer of President Cleveland, has turned against him. It blames him for having descended from the high position which he occupied during his first term. It says of him: "He is helpless because he has abandoned the methods of his first term and has become a politician. He won his high and unique place in American politics because it was his practice to appeal to public opinion, and he did not appeal in vain." It may be that the Weekly does the President an injustice. It is hard for a party leader to carry out his policy when his party is not true to him. It is well known that the men who hate President Cleveland most bitterly, and who say the hardest things about him, are of the Democratic party. His most powerful enemies in Congress, too, are Democrats. They take a delight in opposing his policy and in frustrating his designs. The Democratic party to-day is plainly a house divided against itself, and we have the best authority for expecting its speedy downfall. The indications are at this moment that at the next presidential election the Democrats will be swept out of existence, and impartial men everywhere must say it will deserve its fate.

THE DECLINE OF THE HORSE.

There are thinkers and observers who believe that the horse has had his day. They see that he is being superseded by mechanical contrivances, and they look forward to the time when he will be regarded by mankind as a sort of curiosity—a relic of a bygone age before the powers of steam were discovered and the energies of electricity utilized by the men who were in the van of the world's progress. A little reflection might show the thoughtful reader how very far steam has made man independent of the horse. Every civilized country is now provided with a network of railroads in which steam is made to do the work of millions of horses in conveying men and commodities from one place to another. It would be simply impossible, with any number of horses, to do a tithe of the work now done by the locomotive. Then, in driving machinery, in tilling the land, and in hundreds of ways steam power is now doing the work that horse power did in our own early days and in the days of our fathers.

The use of electricity as a motive power is still in its infancy, but it has already taken the place of the horse in the passenger traffic of many cities. There can be no doubt that in a very few years vehicles can be propelled along ordinary roads by stored electricity. When that day comes, and when the bicycle is as generally used as present appearances indicate, there will be no use for horses in the world's cities. They may be kept by a few eccentric persons as pets and for the purposes of racing, but electricity will be so much pleasanter, cleaner, cheaper and safer as a motive power for carriages of all sorts that no one will think of using horses for the purposes of either draught or travel. On the farm the same changes will most likely be made. Steam and electricity will take the place of horse power in all or nearly all the operations of agriculture, and then the horse, being wholly unnecessary, will begin to die out. The New York Times, in an article on "The Passing Away of the Horse," speaking of the last days of the noble animal's decline says:

Then will remain only the race horse, who has now reached his perfect flower. It is folly to suppose that the running power of horses can be much further cultivated. Indeed, the time has long since passed when men bred racers for the love of horses or a manly fondness for outdoor sport. The hunter survives, of course, and he does represent a lingering love of sturdy sport, and the trotting horse is still bred for the sake of trotting. But the race horse is merely an excuse for gambling. The strongest work of English fiction lately written, George Moore's "Esther Waters," sets forth without exaggeration the awful growth of the vice of betting in England, and, young as this country is, the vice seems to have quite as strong a hold here. No good can come of it anywhere. But this article is not intended as a homily on the evil of gambling, and the subject is only mentioned, in passing, to show that, so far as horse racing is concerned, the vice will soon be checked, for the race horse, in the natural course of events, cannot long survive his fellows. To our children's grandchildren a horse may be as much of a curiosity as the buffalo is to us to-day.

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MEETINGS.

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THE CITY.

THE Cedar Hill young people have their annual picnic at the Cordova bay beach next Saturday afternoon.

YESTERDAY was the 57th anniversary of the accession of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria to the throne of England.

THE annivery services at the Centennial Methodist church are fixed for Sunday, July 8, and the anniversary tea will be held on Tuesday, July 10.

A YOUNG white cow, for which the owner, Mr. John Clark, refused over $100 a short time ago, is believed to have been stolen from James Bay on Sunday night, as no trace of her can be found.

IT was decided at the regular meeting last night of Perseverance lodge, No. 1, I. O. G. T., to hold a strawberry social in Temperance hall on Saturday night. A good programme is being prepared.

IN Chambers yesterday, before Mr. Justice Walkem, an application was made by Mr. Hall on behalf of the Sheriff for an interpleader order. Order made, security for $1,000 to be given by claimant within one week, and claimant, by consent, to have option to sell before interpleader is settled.

THERE was a large and appreciative audience at Oak Bay yesterday evening to enjoy the really excellent moonlight concert provided by the band of the B C.B.G.A., under J. M. Finn's direction. The solo (Thornton's second air varie) by Mr. Wilkinson, the new clarinettist, was a much enjoyed feature of the programme.

NOMINATION of candidates for the provincial legislature will be made in this city at the Market hall, instead of at Philharmonic hall as first announced. The official proclamation of the change, which has been made for the general convenience, is made by advertisement published to-day. Saturday next will be nomination day.

THE Arion Club have completed all arrangements for their moonlight concert on the Arm to-night, which it is all but certain will be attended and enjoyed by a very large number. During the evening a collection will be taken up for the benefit of the Fraser river flood sufferers, to whose relief the club have already contibuted the receipts of their public concert at the theatre during celebration week.

THE Board of Licensing Commissioners held their adjourned monthly meeting yesterday at the city police court room, applications for transfers constituting the major business of the day. Mr. Jensen also asked for a new license to enable him to sell by retail in the basement of the Board of Trade building; as the petitions required by law were not sufficiently signed, the matter was remanded until next Monday.

THE hospitality of Mrs. Teague was thoroughly enjoyed last evening by the members of the Y.W.C.T.U. at the "at home" at the Mayor's residence, corner of Cook and Chatham streets. The attendance was large, and the hours were very pleasantly spent. Addresses were delivered by Mrs. Spofford, provincial president of the W. C. T. U., and by Miss Bowes; and arrangements were made for organizing a branch of the Loyal Legion.

THE annual meeting of the Grand lodge A.F. & A.M. will be held to-day, to-morrow and Saturday at New Westminster. Among the delegates representing the different Victoria lodges are: R. B. McMicking, Geo. S. Russell, H. L. Salmon, B. Williams, Henry Waller, George Glover, J. W. Coburn, Thos. S. Fletcher and W. J. Quinlan. Besides the usual annual routine which comes up for transaction, special business will be presented at the meeting in connection with the revision of the constitution.

THE Arion club concert on the Arm this evening is certain, with the valuable assistance of the clerk of the weather, to be very successful. The following gentlemen—Messrs. A. J. Dallain, T. S. Gore, A. G. Smith, J. B. Gordon, H. F. M. Jones, H. F. Langton, H. C. Macaulay and J. E. Wilson—have very kindly undertaken to act as collectors on behalf of the sufferers by the floods, and their canoes may easily be distinguished by lanterns at the masthead, plainly marked "Arion Club." It is hoped that all who attend will contribute to the good cause, however small be the sum.

THE pocketbook of papers picked up on the harbor shore by Mr. Alfred Barnes and handed by him to the provincial police turns out to have belonged to young Vernon who was drowned by the capsizing of the Undine two weeks ago. Among the papers was an old account belonging to the schooner Mischief, and upon Capt. Foot's attention being called to it he recognized it and another document, a recommendation given to Mr. Vernon by a Kasio stage line for his skill as a veterinary surgeon, of which profession he was a member. Capt. Foot also had seen the pocketbook in Mr. Vernon's possession, so that all doubts as to its identity are at rest.

A MEETING of the Board of Aldermen was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30, the Mayor presiding and the full board being in attendance with the single exception of Ald. Vigelius. The business was the selection of a site for the new electric light works and power station, upon which there was a lively discussion lasting upwards of an hour and a half. Mr. T. C. Nuttal's waterfront property between Herald street and Turret rock was finally decided upon, the price being $12,300 and the frontage 120 feet. This selection was made upon a division of five to four, the vote being: For—Ald. Harris, Styles, Baker, Keith-Wilson and Ledingham; against—the Mayor, and Ald. Dwyer, Humphrey and Munn. Mr. J. C. Keith was subsequently named as architect for the new power buildings, to proceed at once with the preparation of the plans. Besides the members of the board, Mr. Cartmel was present at yesterday's meeting and explained his proposition in regard to the destruction of garbage in connection with the electric light works, upon which subject a special committee will report.

GRIFFITH'S "Faust" company has fixed new dates for Victoria, and will appear here on Friday and Saturday, the 29th and 30th.

THE junior Epworth League of the Centennial Methodist church had a pleasant and profitable meeting last evening, the proceedings being enlivened with an interesting debate.

THE proprietor of the Bee Hive saloon, corner of Fort and Broad streets, has been summoned to appear in the police court Saturday, charged with keeping a common gaming house.

AN unfortunate Japanese was brought very near to death by the capsizing of his sloop off Clover point last evening. He was seen clinging to the overturned craft by Messrs. Henley, E. McDougall and H. Lawrie, who accomplished his rescue with difficulty. It was impossible to recover the sloop.

MR. T. W. CARTER, the well known pioneer brewer, has succeeded Mr. M. C. Browne in his hotel business in the Duck building, Broad street, and will re-open the premises hereafter to be known as the Carter house, to-morrow evening. Mr. Carter's announcement appears elsewhere in this issue.

STONECUTTERS' STRIKE.

Unionists Working on the Parliament Buildings Quit Work—Cause of Their Action.

Yesterday the union stonecutters employed by Mr. Adams, the contractor for the parliament buildings, went out on strike. The reason given by them was that a union stonecutter named Durst had been discharged and had not been paid. This is the section of the constitution under which the committee of the Victoria branch of the Stonecutters' Association say they acted:

"Sec. 15—Seeing that the bosses claim and exercise the right of discharging and paying off whenever they see fit, we likewise demand the same privilege. Any member being discharged or quitting of his own accord shall demand his pay and if he does not receive the same after giving 24 hours' notice, the shop steward shall be compelled to strike the job."

Mr. Adams when asked for the circumstances leading up to the strike stated that last Friday Durst, who was cutting on a piece of granite some 17 feet long, intended for a step, spoiled it, a long crack in the stone along the line of the chisel marks showing that at least three feet of the stone would have to be cut off, and consequently it was too short for the use intended. Mr. Adams being away at the time the foreman laid Durst off temporarily awaiting Mr. Adams' return, so that the matter might be referred to him for settlement. Mr. Adams, on his return to town on Monday, looked at the stone—which when perfect was valued at some $50—and decided that Durst should stand some of the loss for spoiling it. Durst, however, refused to accept less than the full pay without any deduction, maintaining that the contractor must stand the loss. He also refused to go back to work unless paid in full.

The union then gave Mr. Adams notice that unless Durst was paid in full they would go out on strike yesterday at 1 o'clock, their contention, as explained by the men yesterday, being that the contractor must stand the loss caused by breakage in the course of cutting stone, and that such is the rule of their organization.

Mr. Adams, however, denies that he should stand all the loss caused by carelessness on the part of stonecutters working for him, and from a long experience at the business says it is not the custom everywhere, as maintained by the men, that the contractor should stand the loss. He was quite willing to be lenient and only deduct a small amount from Durst, but denies, as a matter of principle, the right of the union to say that in cases of workmen, whether from incompetency or carelessness, breaking a stone the contractor and not the man who causes the damage should stand the loss.

In consequence of the answer given to the union the stonecutters to the number of nearly 50 went out on strike and were paid off. The strike also affects some 25 helpers, who, though perfectly willing to work, must perforce stay idle because while the stonecutters are out there is no work for them to do.

VICTORIA'S WATER SUPPLY.

TO THE EDITOR:—While our city council are making unconstitutional motions relative to carrying linen, dirty or otherwise, through the city on Sundays, they seem to be asleep or utterly indifferent to the dirty and disease-infected water that is daily given to the citizens under their supervision. I do not know of any city whose inhabitants pay a higher water rate. I know of no water supplied that is so unfit for human use. As consumers we demand a cool and clean article, not the tepid overflowings of a swamp, full

Of creeping insects, slime and fetid muck,
Disease all latent in each nauseous cup.

It is not so long ago that the whole debris of a railway construction camp, with its foul concomitants, was piled in heaps in close vicinity to the margin of the lake. Are there no paid officials in the corporation who can suggest a scheme whereby the past outlay can be made available and at the same time give us a cool and clean drink? If not, the sooner one is found without fear or favor the better. S.

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SYNOD OF COLUMBIA.

Annual Meeting of Lay and Clerical Delegates—The Diocesan's Address.

Proposed New Provincial Synod—Business Transacted During a Very Short Session.

At 8 o'clock yesterday morning the celebration of the Holy Communion in Christ Church cathedral was the service preliminary to the opening of the second session of the sixth Synod of the Diocese of British Columbia. Subsequently at 10 o'clock there were matins and another Communion service, followed by an admirable sermon by Rev. W. D. Barber. The members of Synod assembled almost immediately after in the Cathedral school room, Bishop Ferrin in the chair.

There were present: Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, M.A., Rev. Canon Beanlands, M. A., Rev. Canon Good, Rev. G. W. Taylor, Rev. J. A. Leakey, B.A., Rev. W. G. H. Ellison, Rev. W. D. Barber, M.A., Rev. S. C. Scholefield, M.A., Rev. E. G. Miller, Rev. J. W. Flinton, Rev. J. B. Haslam, Rev. J. B. Hewetson, M.A., Rev. W. F. L. Paddon, B.A., Rev. E. F. Lipscomb, Rev. C. E. Cooper, and Rev. E. F. Wilson, clergymen; and Dr. E. B. C. Hanington, Percy Wollaston, J. Coltart, Mr. Justice Crease, B. T. N. Drake, J. B. Gordon, Lieut.-Col. R. Wolfenden, Dr. M. S. Wade, Tom Kains, George Jay, jr., Hon. P. O'Reilly, John Hawkins, C. C. McKenzie, Mr. Justice Drake, E. Musgrave, E. Baynes Reed, Judge Harrison, J. E. Raynes, Beaumont Boggs and C. N. Young, laymen.

The officers of the Synod were: President, the Right Rev. William Wilcox Perrin, D. D.; chancellor, Hon. Mr. Justice M. Tyrwhitt Drake; registrar, Lindley Crease; clerical secretary, the Venerable Archdeacon Scriven, M. A.; lay secretary, E. Baynes Reed; auditors, A. J. Weaver Bridgman; J. Coltart; bankers, the Bank of British Columbia; solicitors, Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken.

Rev. Canon Beanlands, Rev W. D. Barber, and Rev. J. B. Haslam and Col. Wolfenden, Hon. Mr. O'Reilly and Mr. Justice Crease having been elected to the executive committee, that body now stands:—Rev. Canon Beanlands, Rev. W. D. Barber, Rev. G. W. Taylor, Rev. Canon Paddon, Rev. C. E. Cooper, Rev. J. B. Haslam, Rev. E. F. Lipscomb, Rev. J. B. Hewetson, Col. Wolfenden, Judge O'Reilly, P. Wollaston, Mr. Justice Crease, Tom Kains, P. H. Marshall, Beaumont Boggs, Major C. T. Dupont.

Routine matters occupied the attention of the Synod until luncheon, an excellent repast having been provided by a committee of ladies.

On the re-assembling of Synod His Lordship addressed the Synod as follows:

My Reverend Brethren and Brethren of the Laity:

A year's experience has, I assure you, deepened my sense of responsibility in having been called to the office and work of a Bishop in the Church of God.

In this diocese there is none of the anxiety caused by long missionary journeys, or by severity of climate—on the contrary, all the settlements are within easy range—but the anxiety arises from the intimate knowledge which the Bishop must have of the special needs and difficulties of each particular parish. His energies have by no means to be expended only upon organization, but rather upon that closer personal union which in so many dioceses in England and in the Colonies is clearly impossible. For this I am duly thankful, and while I am profoundly conscious of my negligence and ignorance, yet the experience of more than twenty years of active parochial work has made me to some extent capable of feeling sympathy with clergy and laity, even if I cannot actually help them in their difficulties.

I would beg of you to forgive the mistakes and short comings of the first year of my episcopate, some of which stand out clearly before my mind as I write these lines, and all of which I would cast into the ocean of the everlasting love of God.

There have been several changes in the ministry during the past year. Within a month of the last meeting of the Synod, the Rev. M. C. Browne was called to his rest—and during the year the Rev. D. Holmes has accepted work in the American church; the Rev. W. H. G. Ellison has resigned the charge of Metchosin, the Rev. W. H. P. Arden and the Rev. G H. Tovey have returned to England; the Rev. S. C. Scholefield has, you will regret to hear, been forced under medical advice to resign St. Paul's, Esquimalt.

I take this opportunity of recording my thanks for the kind help which has been given by the Rev. C. E. Sharpe and by the chaplains of the Royal Navy, while the ships have been at Esquimalt harbor; and to add that the loss of the active support of Mr. H. J. Innes for so many years will be severely felt.

The following appointments have been made: Rev. W. J. Flinton to Cedar Hill and Lake; Rev. C. E. Cooper to Wellington; Rev. E. F. Wilson to Salt Spring Island; Rev. G. W. Taylor to St. Alban's, Nanaimo; and Rev. J. B. Haslam to St. Barnabas, Victoria. In all cases I have consulted the authorities of the several parishes before making the appointments. No steps have been taken to fill the vacancy in St. Mark's, Victoria, until the question of the grant from the Mission Fund has been decided. If the suggestion of the executive committee is adopted the difficulty in carrying on the services at Metchosin will cease. During the past nine months the Archdeacon has driven from Victoria to Metchosin every alternate Sunday afternoon, returning in time for his evening service at St. James'.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Rev. Canon Paddon for undertaking the Sunday services at the Jubilee Hospital, and also for the readiness with which he has always voluntarily undertaken any work which he has been asked to do. If he leaves Victoria, the diocese will feel his loss, and personally I shall miss his sympathetic support.

Two new churches have been dedicated during the past year—one at Saanichton in the large district under the charge of the Rev. F. G. Christmas, and the other at Fulford Harbor on Salt Spring island, where it will stand as a memorial to the successful ministry of Rev. J. B. Haslam. New fields of work have been opened by the Rev. C. E Cooper at Englishman's River, French Creek and Nanoose, at the first of which a church is almost ready for dedication. At Union Mine the Rev. J. X. Willemar has commenced Sunday services, but both there and at Alberni there are spheres of work which the church ought to undertake with as little delay as possible.

Since the departure of the Rev. D. Holmes, the services at Chemainus have not been regularly supplied. At present there are no signs of renewal of work at the sawmill but the rapidly increasing number of settlers in the neighborhood of the River church calls for active ministerial work.

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THE WATERING BY LAW.

TO THE EDITOR:—While I fully appreciate the value and necessity of wise restriction on the amount of water that may be used by private families for "irrigation" purposes, I also believe that in this, as in most other matters, wisdom lies in the mean and not in the extreme. In warm, dry weather, such as we experience in Victoria during the summer months, twice a week is not often enough to water gardens and lawns. So far as economy of water is concerned, it is not effected by such a restriction, because every gardener knows that a little water frequently applied is better than the "sousing" which gardens get at rare intervals; so that really there is no saving on that score.

I have been led to believe that there is an unlimited supply of water; then why be niggardly in its use? Is it that the aldermen fear householders will use more than they are supposed to pay for? Those who take pride in their lawns and gardens should be encouraged as much as possible, because nothing adds to the attractiveness of a city so much; and of all things, in Victoria, we should cultivate a taste in this respect. Very few persons have any desire to use more water than is actually necessary.

In the use of water it is right to adopt a sliding scale, and for irrigation purposes no reasonable man will object to pay for water in proportion to the area to be irrigated, and I quite agree with that principle of the by-law, but having adopted that principle, it is very unfair to charge by the square foot and then limit the supply as has been done.

In the case of tender plants which require frequent and gentle sprinkling, and of certain vegetables and flowers, which to flourish require daily watering, we must either resort to a surreptitious use of the hose at unseasonable hours or the laborious watering pot. It is simply a temptation to break the law. In other words, necessity becomes the law to those who take pride in their homes.

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SYNOD OF COLUMBIA.

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No permanent arrangements have been made for the spiritual needs of Mayne island and the adjoining islands. Canon Beanlands has undertaken services occasionally, but the settlers are anxious for regular ministrations. A lady in England has collected $500 towards the purchase of a steam or naphtha launch, but until the help of an itinerary clergyman has been obtained, a boat would be practically useless.

The work amongst the Chinese has been abundantly blessed under the superintendence of the Rev. E F. Lipscombe and the devoted labors of the catechist and a small band of workers who attend regularly at the Chinese school week by week. Three Chinese have been baptized and I have administered confirmation to three others. The grant of $500 from the Domestic and Foreign Mission Fund in the East of Canada (for which we cannot be too grateful) is not sufficient to pay the rent of the school room and the extremely small stipends of the superintendent and catechist, and it would make a great difference to the whole work if those who believe in the commandment of our blessed Lord to preach the gospel to all nations would give a sufficient sum to build a small church for the use of the Chinese.

The missionary work amongst the Indians at Alert Bay has been placed under my care by the authorities of the Church Missionary Society, but I have postponed my visit there until the return of the Rev. A. J. Hall from England. Meanwhile I have had opportunities of seeing Mr. Corker, and I am glad to say that the Indian Department have sanctioned his appointment as principal of a new industrial school which has been opened during the past year.

The impossibility of carrying forward the scheme for building a new cathedral has been a grievous disappointment to me personally and I am sure to the whole diocese. It is to be hoped that the strain upon the patience of those who have paid their subscriptions will not be too great. After having paid for the plans and specifications, the treasurer reports a balance in hand of $6,000. When the right time comes to make a further effort, it is hoped that the work will be considered of a diocesan character and that the subscriptions will by no means be confined to the parish of Christ Church. Without exaggerating the state of commercial depression in the Island, from which, I am informed, we are not suffering as severely as some of our neighbors, it cannot be denied that all questions of finance have been of a very serious character during the past year. The resources of almost every parish have been strained to the utmost.

I am glad to say that the grants made by the Mission Board have been paid regularly and in full. At the close of the financial year on March 31, the Mission Fund was $1,208 in arrear but as we commenced the year with a deficit of $1,222, practically our receipts and expenditure have balanced. To meet this overdraft of $1,208 there is a sum of $800 owing as arrears of unpaid interest on mortgages, and the diocese will rejoice to hear that in answer to a special appeal to the authorities of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel a grant of $500 has been received from the treasurer in England.

The question before us, as to the future, is whether we are to be content with the state of the work of the church in this diocese, or to advance. No one will maintain that the amounts now collected and subscribed mean that the utmost limit of liberality in the several congregations has been reached. We shall not be content until every member of the church realizes the duty of contributing to the general fund of the diocese. More than this, it certainly seems to me that we have a distinct claim upon the liberality of churchmen in England. I had made arrangements to leave the diocese for four months in August with the object of pleading our cause in England, where I had obtained promises of help in several large towns, but the lamented death of the Bishop of New Westminster has led me to postpone my visit. Since 1882 the diocese has received no annual grant from any society. In the earlier days of his episcopate my revered predecessor was able to raise large sums in England for the Columbia Mission Fund, but six years ago, in 1888, in an address to the Synod, Bishop Hills announced that the contributions to this fund "had fallen to a very small amount, and could hardly be taken any longer into consideration."

For my own part I should be more than willing to abandon the scheme of trying to reorganize this fund, if the church societies in England could see their way to make substantial annual grants, and one object of my visit was to fully discuss this matter with the authorities.

I trust that you will not think that I have entered into too many details of diocesan work—for my principle will always be the same, to keep no secrets from this Synod, and thus to secure your hearty and cordial co-operation.

To turn for a few minutes to a wider field. First of all we shall naturally express our sincere sympathy with the diocese of New Westminster in the loss of its first Bishop—called away in the prime of life and in the midst of his work, leaving us a good example; and further in the disastrous floods, which have brought, and must bring, a great strain upon the work of the church in that diocese. The election of a successor to Bishop Sillitoe raises the whole question of the formation of an ecclesiastical province in British Columbia. I hope that a committee will be appointed by this Synod to confer with one appointed by the Synod of New Westminster, and with the Bishop of Caledonia. Although it is evident that nothing can be actually done at present, all preparations may be made, if it is decided as a principle that a province ought to be formed.

The journal of proceedings of the first session of the General Synod of the Church of England in the Dominion of Canada has been circulated amongst you.

The solemn declaration makes it clear that the General Synod continues to be an integral part of the great Anglican Communion throughout the world, while the rights of provincial synods and of each individual diocese are strictly protected.

No special report will be presented to the Synod by the representatives who attended as delegates at Toronto. We shall have to proceed with caution, acting under the advice of our Chancellor, so that we may make no legal mistakes in whatever course we may decide to adopt.

May the consolidation of the Church in Canada be abundantly blessed by a spirit of true unity and an increase of faith and holiness and devotion amongst all its members.

I hoped to have had the honor of receiving the members of the Synod at Bishop's Close, but out of respect to the memory of my brother Bishop of New Westminster, it seemed right to forego what would have been to me a great pleasure.

In my opening words I asked forgiveness for my mistakes. May I, in closing, express my sense of thankfulness to those who not only received me with marked kindness at the first, but who have continued their kindness, so that now I feel at home and amongst friends in this far Western diocese; and I pray Almighty God, with all my heart and soul, that in this and all our work we may seek before all other things His honor and glory; that the progress of the work of the Church amongst us, if slow, may be sure; and that we may grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

The reports of the executive committee, Mission Board treasurer, auditors and other committees were next presented and disposed of.

GENERAL SYNOD OF CANADA.

Rev. G. W. Taylor moved:

"Whereas at a conference held in Toronto, on the 13th and following days of September, 1893, a scheme for the consolidation of the church in Canada, was discussed and adopted by representatives of 17 out of 19 Canadian dioceses (representatives from this diocese also being present, and concurring so far as the powers delegated to them permitted), and a general synod of the church in Canada was formed;

"And whereas, it is very desirable that this diocese shall formally assent to and adopt the said scheme of consolidation:

"Be it resolved, that this synod, on behalf of the diocese of British Columbia, does hereby assent to and adopt the solemn declarations, fundamental principles, basis of constitution, and provisional constitution of the general synod, and that a committee be appointed and empowered to take such legal and other steps as may be found necessary to give effect to this resolution."

The resolution was adopted.

A PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

Venerable Archdeacon Scriven moved: "Whereas, all the dioceses of the Church of England in Canada to the east of the Rocky Mountains are grouped into the two ecclesiastical provinces of Canada and Rupert's Land;

"And whereas, it is, in the opinion of this synod, desirable that the dioceses to the west of the Rocky Mountains, which have not at present any provincial organization, should be united in an ecclesiastical province of British Columbia;

"Be it resolved, that the Lord Bishop be requested to invite the co-operation of the other bishops of British Columbia, in taking such steps as may be necessary for the formation of an ecclesiastical province; and that His Lordship be further requested to nominate a committee to confer with committees of the other dioceses for the purpose of framing a constitution for a provincial synod when such shall have been formed."

Mr. E. Baynes Reed moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. J. Coltart:

"That the Lord Bishop be requested to invite the co-operation of the other bishops of British Columbia to consider the advisability of forming an ecclesiastical province for British Columbia or of joining the ecclesiastical province of Rupert's Land, and that His Lordship be further requested to nominate a committee to confer with committees of the other dioceses and to report to this synod the course recommended by them."

The amendment was adopted and the Bishop appointed the following as a joint committee to attend a conference of the other dioceses in British Columbia to discuss these propositions:

Clerical—Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. Canon Beanlands, Rev. G. W. Taylor and Rev. W. D. Barber.

Lay—The Chancellor, Hon. Justice Drake, Hon. Justice Crease, Judge Harrison, Mr. Lindley Crease and Mr. E Baynes Reed.

A number of amendments to some of the canons were taken up and passed.

NEXT MEETING.

Judge Harrison moved that the next meeting of Synod be held in Nanaimo.

The motion was discussed at some length, the increasing importance of Nanaimo being dwelt upon, after which the proposition was declared carried.

After other business had been disposed of the minutes were read, and the Synod having completed the business before it, was closed at 6:30 by the Bishop.

There was a good attendance of clergy, laymen and others, including a number of ladies, at the public meeting at the Cathedral in the evening. The subject of discussion was "The Religious Education of the Young."

The Bishop opened the proceedings by saying that he wished to lay down no plan which might in the least be interpreted as having any effect on existing political questions, but only to set out the principle that religious instruction was an essential part of education.

Rev. W. W. Bolton spoke of the conditions of education in the United States, especially San Francisco, and said there they had to fight a hard battle against agnosticism.

Mr. Wollaston spoke of the necessity of improvement in Sunday school work and laid it on the clergy as part of their duty towards the young.

In a short address Mr. Duncan, of Cowichan, spoke of the condition of day schools in the country districts.

Dr. Hanington, Rev. C. E. Cooper, Rev. J. B. Hewetson and Ven. Archdeacon Scriven also took part in the discussion, which was closed by the Bishop, with the benediction.

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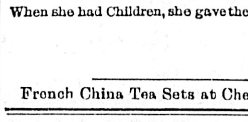

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For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
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May 30, 1894.
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RAILWAYS.

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TIME TABLE No 20,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, Apr 27th 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

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A.M.	P.M.				P.M.	P.M.
De. 8.00	De. 3.04		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.24	Ar. 8.00
" 8.04	" 3.08	1	Russell's	77	" 12.20	" 7.56
" 8.14	" 3.16	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.10	" 7.48
" 8.39	" 3.36	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.45	" 7.28
" 9.14	" 4.05	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.10	" 6.59
" 9.34	" 4.27	28	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" 6.37
" 9.44	" 4.37	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 6.27
" 9.57	" 4.49	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.27	" 6.15
" 10.07	" 4.59	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.17	" 6.05
" 10.12	" 5.01	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.12	" 6.00
" 10.22	" 5.12	43	Somenos	35	" 10.02	" 5.53
" 10.48	" 5.32	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.36	" 5.32
" 11.09	" 5.49	59	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.15	" 5.15
Ar. 11.50 De. 11.55	" 6.22	73	Nanaimo	5	De. 8.31 Ar. 8.25	" 4.42
Ar. 12.14	Ar. 6.31	78	Wellington		De. 8.10	De. 4.30
P.M.	P.M.				A.M.	P.M.

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4.45 am	110	Ar.*...Tacoma..... Lv	Ml	8.00 am

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WHY don't you marry and have a house of your own to oversee and children to bring up and a husband to take care of? I'll warrant there'd soon be an end of all these fads about 'higher education' and woman's mission and the 'emancipation of the enslaved sex' and all the rest of the rubbish I hear you talk."

Thus in my hearing not long since did a certain grandmamma whom I extremely admire and love address her namesake, a bright girl of about 20 summers, who at once replied frankly and succinctly:

"We don't marry nowadays, grandmamma, because the men don't ask us to. It's out of fashion."

"Out of fashion! Nonsense. The world isn't going to stop growing, is it? If the men don't ask you, why, you must ask them, that's all."

"It wasn't so in your day, was it, grandmamma?" pursued the girl mischievously, and the dear old lady bridled a little and set off upon a train of reminiscences more exciting than a fairy story.

Nor was she a solitary instance in my experience. Ask almost any woman of 70 years and over as to the opportunities of matrimony that were offered to her before 25, and if she has been a pretty girl she will tell you much the same story, and veraciously, too, for I have heard old gentlemen tell the same stories from their own side. If a girl was young and comely and gay and bright, it was a foregone conclusion three-quarters of a century ago that she would have what they called "beaux" in abundance and would marry whenever she was tired of her position as queen of hearts. If they did not care to abdicate too early, they favored now one and now another of their courtiers, played off one swain against another, broke hearts and caused Wertherlike tragedies, for in those days people read "The Sorrows of Werther" with tearful sympathy instead of with peals of laughter, as do we modern cynics.

If you don't believe all this, go and ask your own grandmamma if she ever had an admirer except grandpapa, and if she is one of the right sort of old ladies—an old lady with soft blue eyes and a pretty smile and fine white skin, all covered with a lace pattern of tiny wrinkles, and silvery, wavy hair—if she is that sort of a grandmamma, you will spend at least one delightful twilight hour in hearing of the old times, the good old times when girls were queens of love and beauty and men were their humble adorers and only withheld their proposals from a very becoming sense of their unworthiness.

To be sure, if you are a girl, these stories may have the effect that novels did upon Gloriana, who, instead of being amused at the tales of romance she read, only wept into her checked apron because "there were so many good times and she not in them."

But if you are a young man you will feel the same sort of self congratulation you do in reading the "Lives of the Martyrs." You would not have liked to throw incense upon a heathen altar and trample the cross under your feet, but you don't feel at all sure that you would have withstood the temptation to escape the rack and the boiling oil.

Certainly the times have changed, and men change with them, for us as well as for Ulysses, and I say "men" advisedly, for I don't think women have changed as much. Most girls—that is, the dear, rosy, dimpling darlings, who are papa's pet and mamma's blessing, and who do not insist upon becoming civil engineers or doctors of law, medicine or theology—these girls, pure and simple, are willing enough to marry if some one whom they love asks them to do so. But the men do not propose, and so the girls do not marry, and the good old methods are out of vogue, and the times are out of joint.

Young men have extended their privileges and contracted their liabilities. Formerly if an unmarried man paid particular attention to a girl or a young widow it was understood by all observers that he was a candidate for her hand if he could gain her reluctant consent to accept him. The girl's parents looked serenely on, conscious that their daughter was mistress of the situation and needed neither assistance nor protection—conscious, too, that the young man would be a very fortunate fellow if he gained so desirable a wife—and they would not stand in his way, although they were sincerely sorry to lose the flower of their family.

After awhile the girl shyly told her mother that Reuben and she were going to be married about Thanksgiving time, and although there was not often any open announcement of the engagement and certainly no receptions or presents to mark the occasion the bride's family began preparations for the wedding and the setting up of the young couple at housekeeping. It was all so simple and honest and natural that to hear of those times is like reading of the golden age or the lost Atlantis, or any other of those dreams of some bygone perfection or some coming millennium.

Occasionally in those days the young man behaved in a manner which is now the rule, but then was the exception, and proved himself a trifler and a male flirt, amusing himself for the hour, but with no serious intentions. But he was not then, as he now is, suffered to get off scot free from this sort of pleasantry. If after a due period of courtship the youth made no offer of matrimony, but showed symptoms of transferring his attentions to some other shrine, the father or brother of the slighted fair one called him to account, demanding an explanation of his conduct and giving him to understand that if he had no serious intentions they had, and that, having danced to please himself, he was now to pay the piper to please them.

Generally a little conversation of this sort was effectual, and the tardy swain insisted that he had only been waiting for encouragement to declare himself, but if the trifler really tried to cry off and escape without penalty the brother or father significantly handled a heavy riding whip or cane or glanced at the stout boots he might chance to be wearing. Sometimes indeed a marriage has been solemnized at the muzzle of a loaded pistol, with an angry father at its other end, and I have heard of an old time marriage where the bridegroom, being asked, "Do you take this woman for your wedded wife?" replied, "Not if I can help it," and the bride's brother deliberately cocked and aimed his pistol, demanding "What was your reply, sirrah?" "Yes, I do," returned the other, grinding his teeth, and the marriage proceeded. One does not envy that unfortunate bride, however, and in point of fact she died before the year was over of a broken heart. However, the family honor was saved, and in those old days they placed a good deal of value upon family honor. So old fashioned!

But these extremities of persuasion were very rare. Generally speaking, the young man asked for no greater privilege than an early wedding, and the father had only to open his pocketbook, and the brother to make himself agreeable, and the mother to buy and cut whole bolts of linen and cambric and cotton into the trousseau which the pretty bride helped to make up with her own fingers.

And now all this is changed. Instead of placidly looking on to see her daughter hold a little court and select the one she means to favor from a crowd of eager aspirants, the mother must be, like the early bird, very early on the ground to capture the biggest and richest worm before any other mother bird can grab him and carry him to drop into her nestling's open mouth. No wonder she gets an anxious and eager look herself and worries and frets and twitters and chirps overmuch and keeps the home nest in a condition of turmoil, for the worm has grown very wary, and if in taking his early walks abroad he espies the flitting form of the mother bird or even hears her sweet if sharpened song of greeting he is apt to precipitately retire to his burrow or hide beneath some stem or clump of weeds.

Worse than this, should the bachelor chance to be, instead of a mere worm of earth, a beautiful gold or silver fish disporting himself in the waters of matrimony, then mamma, instead of a bird, is seen as a fisher, a veritable fisher of men, baiting her hook with her daughter's charms, her accomplishments, her virtues and her affectionate and submissive temperament; but, alas, the goldfish has grown as "gamy" as a brook trout, and worse, for he can often keep a most experienced angler "in play" for a whole season and at the end give a sprightly and humorous twist to his glittering tail and fly off at a tangent, to be no more seen in those waters.

Now, why are these things thusly? "Why don't the men propose, mamma?" as runs the cynically comic song.

Surely girls are as sweet and as pretty and as affectionate and as gay as they were a century or so ago, and as grandmamma sensibly remarks, "The world must go on," and if the young men born and brought up in our own land will not assist in propelling the national chariot they must not object later on, when, as Mrs. Gamp has it, "most wotes carries the day," and the descendants of the Knickerbockers and the Puritans and the F. F. V.'s find themselves in an unconsidered minority.

But why, I again ask, why should it be so, and why do our young men need to be urged, from political or any other reasons, to make themselves the "happiest of men?"

Of course I know that the question has been asked before and variously answered. But no answer that ever I have heard has met the requirements, and I almost fancy that it must remain one of the conundrums without reply which, like snags and bowlders, still obstruct the stream of time.

One reason doubtless is the one most frequently given—the necessities of modern life are too many and too expensive for a young man to rashly undertake.

"The luxuries of one generation become the necessities of the next." It is a sharply true aphorism and none the less true because it is a well worn truism. It might indeed be amplified, for the luxuries of three generations ago are almost disdained by us. Our great-grandmothers were carried about in sedan chairs, our grandmothers drove in chaises and sometimes chariots, our mothers had family "carryalls," and the lady of fashion today has her brougham and victoria, with liveried coachman and footman, and a pair of magnificent horses.

Naturally a young man would feel more sure of being able to provide his wife with a sedan chair, a chaise or even a chariot than with a brougham. This is one reason, and another is that girls enter upon matrimony with very different intentions and plans of life than they used to. To be a good housekeeper, a good wife, a good mother, was formerly the ambition of a bride even in the highest circle, and where the husband had his way to make and the fortune was yet to come the young wife knew how to economize in all sorts of pretty ways and to do a good deal with her own hands not only to beautify the home, but to make it comfortable.

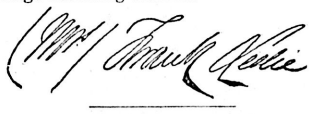
Yet another reason is that both men and maidens know more about the world and about each other than they used to. "Knowledge is power," they say, but to my mind knowledge is warning in matters of sex. I am not speaking of the ideal man and woman, nor of those delightful exceptions to the rule among whom I cheerfully class your best beloved and my own, but with regard to the general run of men I freely confess that an intimate acquaintance with their peculiarities, "their tricks and their manners," their standards of morality and of conscience, their tastes and pursuits, is liable to make a thoughtful woman a little cautious about intrusting her life to any man. And I dare say that the young men who get their ideas of womanhood from Zola and his living models, or from the conversation of their club associates, or their associates after club hours, are less anxious to bind themselves in the chains of matrimony, than were their grandfathers. In that day—that is, in the grandfather's day, a young girl was in the eyes of young men a holy mystery, a something to be protected, admired, delicately shielded from the knowledge of evil, a being intended to lead the man she loved to higher and nobler life, to be his blessing on earth and his guide to heaven.

But the clubman of today laughs in gently pitying scorn at such ideas and tells you with cynical frankness how the reality differs from his grandfather's ideal. When you have listened to him for a few moments, you no longer wonder that he does not care to marry. You only wonder how any decent woman can be found to marry him.

To sum it all up in the moral of the old allegory of the garden of Eden:

"Man and woman have eaten of the tree of knowledge and see each other as they are, and they are afraid."

More reasons there are, and more intricate ones, but with a little thought you will see them for yourself, and at the end, instead of asking "Why don't they marry?" you will inquire, "Is marriage becoming obsolete?"



MRS. SENATOR FAULKNER.

A Bride and One of Washington's Most Attractive Women.

Senator Faulkner of West Virginia brought his bride to Washington about two weeks after their marriage in St. John's, that quaint old church at Hampton, Va., which has been used as a place of worship for more than 200 years. Mrs. Faulkner was almost a stranger to this city, having made only a few short visits here, but she "came," was seen and "conquered," winning enough admiration at once to turn the average woman's head, but her head is as level as it is well set on her pretty shoulders, and as Virginia Fairfax Whiting she had been too much used to admiration to be easily spoiled now.

James Whiting, the founder of her family, came over from England in 1617 on the good ship George with two brothers, one of whom settled in Massachusetts and the other went south. James located in what is now Gloucester county, Va., and was granted in 1643 large tracts of land by the king. The brothers left their native land on ac-

MRS. CHARLES J. FAULKNER.

count of religious persecution. Another brother, the abbot of Glastonbury, less fortunate, was beheaded for refusing to give up the keys of the monastery and his head placed upon one of the pillars of its walls.

Colonel Beverly Whiting, Mrs. Faulkner's great-great-great-grandfather, held George Washington in his arms when he was christened, and his daughter Catherine married one of Washington's brothers—Samuel, I think. The Whitings were prominent in affairs of state, and several of them took active part in the war for independence. They intermarried with the Blairs, Lewises, Thurstons, Braxtons, Fairfaxes, Carlyles, Beverleys, Pages and other prominent families of the state. Mrs. Faulkner's mother was Miss Segar, whose father was at one time an influential citizen of this city.

Mrs. Faulkner is tall and slender, with very graceful bearing, clear olive complexion, large and expressive brown eyes, wavy dark brown hair, white teeth, a charming smile and delightfully unaffected manner. She is well educated, has traveled a good deal, is a graceful and daring rider and fond of hunting and other outdoor amusements. Losing her mother several years ago, she assumed the role of mistress of her father's elegant and hospitable home and filled the position with grace and dignity until beguiled away by Cupid. It was a genuine love match, and it is delightful to look upon the handsome senator's devotion to his young wife.

JULIETTE M. BABBITT.

Washington.

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TENDERS.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, 4 p m , 25th inst., for the erection and completion of Masonic Temple, facing Front street, Nanaimo.

Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Bonds in full amount of contract will be required

JNO. TEAGUE,
Architect.

je19-td

Provincial Gaol at Victoria.

TENDERS, endorsed "Gaol Supplies," for the supply of Bread, Beef, Groceries, Clothing and Coal, for the use of the said institution, from the 1st of July next to the 30th June, 1895, will be received by the undersigned up to Tuesday, the 26th June.

Samples of Groceries, Clothing, etc., can be seen at the Gaol, Topaz avenue.

Tenders to state price of Coal per ton of 2,000 pounds. All supplies to be delivered at the Gaol as required, without extra charge. Oatmeal, brooms, brushes and all articles required, for use in this contract, to be of Provincial manufacture as far as practicable.

F. S. HUSSEY,
Provincial Superintendent of Police and Warden of Gaols.

Victoria, B.C., June 7th, 1894. je8-td

ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, NEW WESTMINSTER.

TENDERS, endorsed "Lunatic Asylum," for the supply of clothing, meat, milk, vegetables, groceries, coal and wood, etc., for the use of the said institution from the 1st day of July next to the 30th day of June, 1895, will be received by the Honourable the Provincial Secretary until noon on Thursday, the 21st proximo.

Lists of the articles required can be seen at this office, and at the Asylum, at which latter place samples can also be inspected.

All supplies to be delivered at the Asylum without extra charge.

Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, 23rd May, 1894. my24-td

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER WORKS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to the 3rd day of July, 1894, at 4 p.m., for furnishing approximately 310 tons (of 2240 lbs) of Cast Iron Coated Plain Water Pipes, and 3½ tons of Special Castings, to the Corporation of the City of Victoria, for the Victoria Water Works, in accordance with specification to be seen at the office of the Water Commissioner, Victoria, where also forms of tender may be obtained.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., May 8th, 1894. my9

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

(INCORPORATED 1890.)

The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Donors and Subscribers to the Institution will be held in the City Hall, on Friday, the 29th June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business—Receiving the Annual Report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's Statement for the year ending 1st June, likewise the Election of Directors.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation the six following Directors retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election: J. S. Yates, E. C Baker, Alexander Wilson, Charles Hayward, H. Helmcken and William C. Ward.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation the following six Directors were re elected at the annual meeting on 30th June last year for a term of two years, and are therefore still in office: George Byrnes, Joshua Davies, William M. Chudley, A C. Flumerfelt, F. B. Gregory and E. A. McQuade.

ALL DONORS OF MONEY AND SUBSCRIBERS are eligible to vote for the election of Directors.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary.

Care Yates & Jay, Bastion street.
Victoria, B. C., 11th June, 1894.

P.S.—According to the new Act of the Local Parliament **DONORS AND SUBSCRIBERS** can vote for four members only. The City Council nominate five (5), the Local Government three (3) and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen Directors. je12 td

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.

GLANCE AT THIS MAP

Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and note its connections with all transcontinental lines at St. Paul and Omaha, and remember when going east that its trains are lighted with electricity and heated by steam. Its equipment is superb. Elegant Buffet, Library, Smoking, and Sleeping cars, with free reclining chairs. Each sleeping car berth has an electric reading lamp, and its dining cars are the best in the world. Some other lines are longer than this, but none are shorter, and no other offers the above luxurious accommodations. These are sufficient reasons for the popularity of "The Milwaukee." Coupon ticket agents in every railroad office will give you further information, or address

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The Colonist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1894.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, June 21, 1894.

Sun rises.... 3:58 a.m. | Sun sets .... 8:05 p.m.
Moon rises...10:50 p.m. | Moon sets... 6:47 a.m.
Day of year—172nd.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 52s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 20, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	51°	Mean 56°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
6 a. m..	50°		
3 a. m..	55°	Highest 62°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	62°		1 p.m.—8 S.E.
5 p. m..	62°	Lowest 50°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	54°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine, 7hrs. 30m.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—N E Richard, Jno Cleary, J A Ritchie, E A Hill.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—G A Cook, Dr Ferguson and wife, Dr Squibbs, Mrs Blackwood, Miss Jackson, B Gabriel G R Hunter, J W Marsh, T A Gardner, W H Gardner, E Fish, F Nevlier, Viscount Penflelain, Miss I Bule, C L Gibson, E L Wheeler, S B Gibbs, Miss Reevesbich, Miss Cana han, Mrs Butts, G W Baldwin, Mrs Van Reassaler, S G Briggs, Mrs Bigham, A G McArthur and wife, T Cook, Bde Thomas, Mrs Judge Sachs, Dr Griffiths, L O'brien, Mrs Griffith, Jno Diels, L Ashmond, Geo McCabe, Jno Rand and wife, M J J T Sprague, S B Durant, G R Davis, Jno Rand, W A Rand, Mrs Henry, F Helmcke, Master McDonald, Mrs Baldwin, A C Bule and wife, Miss Bule, H Erlick and wife, A B Rice, H D Werdimer and wife, L S Kratch, J W Root, E J Applegate, Miss Henry, R Christiaasen.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—E. A Hill, E B Van Volkenberg, S Senoen, S Leiser.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Valo & Brooks, F S Hussey, L H Mellin, Langley & Co, Royal City P M Co, C R Piper, Brackman & Ker and E J Fader & Co.

DIED.

NICHOLSON—On the 18th inst., George Robert, youngest son of Thomas and Sarah Eleanor Nicholson, aged 2 years and 1 month.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Thursday) at 2 p.m., from the parents' residence, Arcadia street, Craigflower Road. Friends will please accept this intimation.

PERSONAL.

Dr. A. W. Pearse, of Alberni, is staying at the Oriental.

E. M. Yarwood, the Nanaimo barrister, is a guest at the Driard.

Mrs. E. E. Blackwood and Miss Jackson returned from the Sound last evening.

John S. McMillin, wife and family, of Roche Harbor, are guests at the Driard.

Mrs. Maurice B. Sachs of Port Townsend is visiting her friends and relatives here.

A. J. McArthur and wife, of Seattle, are spending their honeymoon in Victoria as guests at the Driard.

Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson, of Troy, and Dr. and Mrs Squibbs of Brooklyn were visitors to Victoria yesterday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elkington, Quamichan; Mr. and Mrs. Randle, Nanaimo, and G. W. Baldwin, St. Paul, are guests at the Balmoral.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Van Marter, of Tacoma, are enjoying the hospitality of the Driard, having come over from the Sound in their naphtha launch.

E. T. R. and Mrs. Appelgate, of New Jersey, Viscount de Penpeilhoux and Viscount de Touray, of France, form a Cook's touring party now at the Driard.

Captain D. B. Jackson, general manager of the Northwestern Steamship Company, came over from Seattle yesterday on the initial trip of the Rosalie on her new run. Mrs. Jackson accompanied her husband.

H. C. Wahlberg, of Vancouver, the well known Scandinavian writer and speaker, arrived down from Nanaimo by the noon train yesterday, and will spend several days in the city. During his visit Mr. Wahlberg expects to have the pleasure of addressing a public meeting of his countrymen on the political issues of the day.

THE 74th drawing for an appropriation of the Vancouver Island Building Society was held last evening, the result being in favor of shares 175 A and B, standing in the names of Mrs. F. Walker and R. Carter.

A MEETING of South Victoria electors was held at the Royal Oak last evening and addressed by Mr. Eberts and the other candidates. Owing to the proceedings lasting till considerably after midnight, the report had to be held over till to-morrow's issue.

New Books and Magazines.

Harper's Magazine for June	$0 35
Century for June	40
Review of Reviews	25
Mr. Bailey Martin—By Percy White	50
Mr. Wayte's Wife's Sister	50
Lottie's Wooing Darby Dale	50
Also a fresh supply of	
A Gentleman of France—By Stanley Weyman	75
Montezuma's Daughter—Haggard	75
Princess of Paris—Gunter	50
The King's Stockbroker—Gunter	50

For sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

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Cheap dinner sets at Cheapside. *

Open for Business.

The Northern Pacific railroad is now open for through trains to St. Paul and all points East. First through train since the floods will start East to-day.

E E BLACKWOOD,
Ticket Agent, Victoria, B.C.
Victoria, June 14, 1894. *

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

I X L Carving Set at Cheapside. *

Two years ago I had a bad attack of bilious ness and took one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and can truly recommend it to anyone suffering from this complaint. Mrs. Chas. Brown, Toronto.

Trains to the East.

The Northern Pacific railway company resumed the running of through trains from the Pacific coast to St. Paul, Chicago and all Eastern points June 14, 1894. Passengers taken through without transfer or delay. Tickets to all points in Europe, Canada and the United States for sale. Office, Adelphi building, Government street, Victoria, B.C. E. E. Blackwood, ticket agent. *

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Teams and Arrangements For To-Day's Baseball Event—Stanford vs. Victoria.

Foulkes Wins a Tennis Contest—Cricket Fixtures—Strong Man Sandow's Wager.

The Leland Stanford university boys, who are to play Victoria to-day at Caledonia park, yesterday morning put in a fine practice at the grounds, which they unanimously pronounce the finest they have stepped on during their tour. Later in the day the visitors were driven to the Gorge and Esquimalt, afterwards attending the promenade concert at Oak Bay.

To-day's game, which will commence punctually at 4 o'clock, promises to be very well attended, and will be honored with distinguished patronage. A canopy formed of the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack has been erected for the use of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney and party, while a special section of the grand stand will be reserved for ladies and their escorts, no extra charge being made. Messrs. George Morphy, George E. Powell, Thomas Burnes, jr., and F. McFarlane form the reception committee and will see to the seating of guests. Both teams will line up at the plate at 4 o'clock, and give their respective yells, after which the Lieutenant-Governor will open the game by putting the ball in play. The following are the teams in their batting order:

STANFORD.	VICTORIA.
Sheehan, c.f. (capt.)	Widdowson, 2b
Lewis, s.s.	Gowen, c.f.
Walton, 1b	Franklyn, s.s.
Dyer, 3b	Schultz, r.f.
Bumillar, 2b	Partridge, 1b
McLaine, p	Wrigglesworth, 3b
Weldon, c	Gouge, l.f.
Russell, r.f.	Smith, c
Campbell, l.f.	Lonfesty, p

CRICKET.

SATURDAY ATTRACTIONS.

Victoria places two elevens in the field for Saturday, one vs. the Albions and the other against the Navy. They are as follows:—

To play the Albions—L. C. Barff, Hon. E. Dewdney, J. F. Foulkes, A. T. Goward, C. Little, S. F. Morley, A. F. Owen, B J. Perry, C. E. Pooley, N. P. Snowden and Wallis.

To play the Navy—F. Crabbe, B. H. T. Drake, G. S. Holt, A. P. Luxton, T. Pooley, A. Scroggs, A. G Smith, C. Ward, W. A. Ward, C. P. Wolley and S. Y. Wootton.

TENNIS.

MR. FOULKES SUCCESSFUL.

Mr. J. F. Foulkes, of Victoria, met Mr. A. W. Bumillar, of Leland Stanford University, at the grounds of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club yesterday afternoon, to decide a friendly match, the best of three sets.

At the hour appointed there was quite a gallery of spectators. Although Mr. Bumillar volleys and places with great neatness and accuracy, still he is quite nine-tenths of fifteen behind Mr. Foulkes, whose strong point is the persistent way he has of picking up an almost impossible ball and the sureness of his returns. Although neither of the players was in first-class form, still a very pretty exhibition of two different styles of games was witnessed. Foulkes won the match rather easily, taking the first set to five and the second to two games. Score—13 games to 7; 64 strokes to 45.

The grass courts looked and played well, so it is to be expected that the grounds will be crowded every afternoon with those players who wish to keep up the standard of lawn tennis in Victoria and also prevent the annual prize trophies from leaving the province.

THE TURF.

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT ASCOT.

LONDON, June 20.—At Ascot Heath yesterday the Ascot stakes, distance about two miles, was won by A. Taylor's Aborigine; Sir R. Jardine's Red Ensign second; Mr. Wadlow's Spindle Legs third. The betting on the horses as they went to the post was 100 to 12 against Aborigine; 100 to 14 against Red Ensign, and 8 to 1 against Spindle Legs. Lord Elsmere's Emily led until the stretch was reached, when Mr. Lowther's Houndsditch went away, but Red Ensign and Aborigine quickly passed Houndsditch, Aborigine winning by two lengths and a half from Red Ensign.

The Prince of Wales stakes for three-year old colts, over the new course of about one mile and five furlongs, was won by Henry Miller's Contract; Lord Bradford's brown colt Blighterlon second, and Douglass Baird's bay colt Sempronius third.

The Gold Vase given by Her Majesty, with a special purse added to the sweepstakes, distance about two miles, was won by Quasitum; Sarna second; Barmecide third.

ATHLETICS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—Eugene Sandow, the strong man, has closed his season in California and cancelled his engagements in the Northwest in order to reach New York as soon as possible to arrange for a competition with other alleged strong men to take place in that city. Sandow claims to have deposited with the New York Herald $10,000 as a gift to any man in the world who will accomplish the feats of strength performed by him. The climate of California has agreed with Sandow. He is in fine condition and hard as steel. He leaves for New York Thursday.

HERE AND THERE.

B. Campbell was last evening chosen as captain by the Star Lacrosse Club.

THE case of grand larceny against Frank Hart, M. Goodfriend and Mike Golden, the three bunko men arrested for robbing the two Norwegian girls, Amanda and Aminda Engvik, of $297 on the wharf of Myers' cannery (May 30) Decoration day, was called for trial in Judge Humes' court, Seattle, yesterday. Hart's case was first given to the jury, who after three minutes' deliberation returned a verdict of guilty.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

No Variation in Prices Despite the Expectation by the "Bulls" of an Improvement.

NEW YORK, June 20.—If the "bulls" on stocks looked for any improvement in business or prices because of the action of the bank presidents yesterday they were woefully disappointed, for trading at the stock exchange at times to day approached stagnation, and as for prices the general run of the usually active issues did not vary as much as a point. At the opening the feeling, if anything, was a little more bearish. The engagement of $2 250,000 gold for export to Europe to-morrow, and the likelihood of the shipments reaching $6,000,000 for the week excited an unfavorable influence. The liquidations in the bankrupt stocks also continued and this helped the "bears." So far as the gold shipments are concerned it is announced that the metal withdrawn from the sub-treasury to-day will be made good by the banks. American silver was most prominent in the early decline, falling from 98¾c. to 96⅝. The selling was partly due to rumors that the discriminating duty of 1-10 per cent. as recommended by the finance committee will be wiped out later on. The vote in the senate to-day on sugar matters, however, does not bear this out. Whiskey was weak, declining ½ to 23½; Chicago Gas receded 1 to 78⅛ on the delay in declaring the dividend, which was expected to-day. Railway stocks were weaker, especially for the bankrupt series; Erie selling down to 12 and Northern Pacific, preferred, to 13¾. In the afternoon trading the market was firmer, but the changes outside of Manhattan were slight. The net changes for the day show losses of ¼ to ⅞ per cent. outside of St. Paul, Cordage, Lead, Union Pacific and Lake Shore, which gained ¼ to ¾ per cent. The sales were 103 665 shares. The closing quotations were: Atchison & Santa Fe, 6⅜; Burlington & Quincy, 77½; Canada Southern, 50¼; Canadian Pacific, 63½; Central Pacific, 13⅛; Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus & St. Louis, 37½; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 160½; Erie, 12⅛; Wells Fargo, 122; Great Northern, preferred, 100½; Lake Shore, 132¼; Louisville & Nashville, 45; Missouri Pacific, 27½; New York Central, 97½; New York & New England, 8¾; North American, 3½; Northern Pacific, 3⅞; Northern Pacific, preferred, 14; Oregon Navigation, 8; Oregon Improvement, 12; Pacific Mail, 14½; Reading, 16¼; Rock Island, 68⅝; Southern Pacific, 18¾; St. Paul, 60⅛; Texas Pacific, 8½; Union Pacific, 10½; Western Union, 84 ex div. Bar silver, 63½c.

DRY GOODS REVIEW.

Increase of Business Due to the Hot Weather and Not to the Policy of Buyers.

NEW YORK, June 19.—The Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin in its weekly review of the dry goods market says: An increase in business during the past week, in a general way, is more traceable to the influence of hot weather in accelerating the distribution of seasonable merchandise than to a change in the policy of buyers. Summer fabrics have moved more freely right through from retailers to first hands but with much irregularity in prices. Fall lines of cotton-dressed fabrics have had fully as good call as the preceding week, the reduction of current stocks with buyers leaving them in an improved condition to consider the coming season's requirements, and on the whole there would appear to have been more business transacted in staples, yet, at the best, the market is still in an unsatisfactory condition. Balances of this season's stocks in all hands are being closed out at the expense of values, the new season's trade is yet moderate in cotton goods and restricted in hosiery and underwear, with prices hardly settled yet even on the low opening basis, while in the business in staple cottons there is not any increase shown owing to the fact that trading has played a more prominent part than a week ago.

Woolen goods are inactive and the current business is insufficient to keep many of the mills at work on men's wear fabrics, only dress goods showing up fairly well. That there is no improvement in the general tone may be gathered from the foregoing, and there is a disposition to defer hope of improvement until after the Fourth of July holiday. Meanwhile buyers find no lack of supplies in the aggregate with weak sellers in many directions, the only change of note in the week being in a downward direction. Collections continue a good feature, being favorably reported upon throughout.

MURDERED BY INDIANS.

Two Americans Said to Have Been Killed by Ceris Indians.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The state department, several days ago, received a report from the vice-consul at Guayamas, Mexico, that two Americans, said to be R E L Robinson, of Texas, and James Logan, of Louisiana, had been murdered by Ceris Indians on Tiburon, one of the Shark islands, in the Gulf of California, about 100 miles above Guayamas. These men had embarked on a ten ton sloop at Yuma, and were exploring along the gulf. Two of the party went ashore on Shark island to hunt deer. The Indian natives at first made friendly advances, but afterwards shot them, and the two survivors made their way to Guayamas and reported the fact. Acting Secretary Uhl at once telegraphed the consul's statement of the affair to Minister Gray, directing him to take immediate steps before the proper authorities, and, if the statements were true, to demand the punishment of the murderers. Minister Gray yesterday acknowledged the receipt of the instructions, and is presumably acting in the matter.

Italian Grain Duties.

ROME, June 20.—The chamber of deputies discussed to-day the proposition to increase the duties on grain. A single member advocated an approach to free trade, urging that the proposed increase should not exceed seven lire. The agrarians, who form a majority of the chamber, demanded an increase of nine lire.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The steamer Rosalie, replacing the Geo. E. Starr on the Victoria and Sound route, made her first trip yesterday morning, arriving and departing on the existing schedule time. She brought in and took away a good number of passengers, while her freight from the Sound for Victoria amounted to over two car loads. The Rosalie's service is a big improvement as concerns modern facilities in comparison with that of the Starr.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz left for Northern ports last evening with a fair freight and the following passengers: Mrs. Minieve, Mrs. Mogridge, Mrs. Pidcock, daughter and son, J. McGregor, S. A. Spencer, and others.

John Clarke, owner of the sealing schooner Enterprise, received a cable from Hakodate, on Tuesday, stating that a shipment of 1,250 skins had been forwarded to Victoria that day.

Steamer City of Topeka is due from Alaska Saturday.

ENTERED.

Str. Premier.....from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" R. P. Rithet..... " N Westminster.

CLEARED.

Str. Premier..... for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" R. P. Rithet..... " N Westminster.
" Barbara Boscowitz. " Port Simpson.

THE FLOODS.

Water Rising at Quesnelle, Soda Creek and Katz Landing.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 20.—(Special)—Reports from Quesnelle and Soda Creek, dated yesterday, say the river is rising fast and the weather is very warm. At Katz Landing the water rose two inches last night.

Northern Pacific Railroad

Resumed the running of through trains to St. Paul, Chicago and all Eastern points June 14, 1894, without delay or transfer.

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Manchester Fire,	" "	1,800,000
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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ARTHUR G. SMITH, *Deputy Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS it is expedient that the place for the Nomination of Candidates in the Victoria City Electoral District should be at the Market Place in the City of Victoria; and whereas, by the "Election Regulation Act," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered from time to time to appoint, by Proclamation, the place for the Nomination of Candidates in each Electoral District.

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue of the authority contained in the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf enabling, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares, and it is hereby declared, that the place of nomination at the Philharmonic Hall, in the City of Victoria, shall be discontinued, and that the Market Place in the said City shall be, and is hereby, established as the place for the Nomination of Candidates for Election to the Legislative Assembly in the Victoria City Electoral District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable EDGAR DEWDNEY, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this twentieth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and in the fifty-seventh year of Our Reign.

By Command,

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
je21 td

B. C. B. G. A.

REGIMENTAL ORDER BY MAJOR QUINLAN, COMMANDING.

REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS,
Victoria, B.C., June 19th, 1894.

COMPANIES at Regimental Headquarters, together with the Band, will parade at the Drill Hall, James Bay, on Sunday, June 24th, at 9.45 a.m. for church parade Review order.

By order.
D. B. McCONNAN, Lt.,
Acting Adjutant.
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This powerful Steam Tug, 72 feet long, having recently been placed in first-class running order and repair, is for sale on easy terms. Apply to

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SHORT NOTICE OF SALE.

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Upright grand pianoforte in ebony case (by W. W. Bell & Co. of Toronto), beautiful tone, touch and action; capital parlor set in carved walnut frames and upholstered in crimson and gold plush, walnut vis a vis centre piece in crimson and gold, very fine pier glass in massive gilt frame, 2 pairs chenille curtains, 1 pair tapestry curtains, blinds, oak arm chair, oak rocker, 2 oak reception chairs, 2 bamboo tables, 1 Japanese table, very fine Wilton pile carpet.

IN DINING ROOM.

Oak extension table (4 leaves), 4 oak dining chairs, 2 arm chairs to match, oak whatnot or book shelves, cherry wood rocker, student's chair, very fine over mantel (about 4 feet square) in massive gilt frame, porcelain lamp, capital Domestic sewing machine (in good order), very fine Brussels carpet (about 45 yards).

IN HALL.

Hall, hat and umbrella stand in walnut, hall carpets, landing and stair carpets.

IN BEDROOMS.

Massive solid polished walnut bedroom suite with marble slabs, hardwood and other bed sets, spring, wire and box mattresses, blankets, good feather pillows, marble top tables, easy chairs, curtains, walnut pedestal with marble top, Brussels and tapestry carpets, hearth-rugs, etc.

IN KITCHENS

Tables, cane and perforated chairs, refrigerator, meat safe, cooking utensils, crockery, Home Jewel cook stove and a Nanaimo cook stove (No. 6).

Also top buggy (in very good condition), set of harness, a Sloop-rigged Sailing Boat with complete sails, in good condition, length 30 feet, beam 9 feet, depth 3 feet, compass, charts, anchor, cook stove and utensils, 150 feet 1-inch cable. Can be seen at Oak Bay Boathouse.

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STOCK-IN-TRADE OF DRY GOODS STORE.

TO STOREKEEPERS

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, at 11 A.M.

I have been instructed to sell at my salesroom, Wharf street, Victoria, the following goods, viz., ladies' and children's cotton, cashmere, lisle and silk hose; ladies' and children's silk, lisle, cotton and kid gloves; lace mitts, ladies' and children's fancy collars and frillings; silk, pearl, bone and metal buttons; some very fine old English laces, oriental embroideries, lace frillings, tarlatan muils, Cash's frillings, gossamers, lace falls, Victoria lawns, cambric and cotton handkerchiefs, umbrellas, parasols, boys' Jersey suits, a full line of haberdashery, wool and cotton dress goods, ribbons, velveteens and velvet, dress silk and satin goods, plushes, corsets, aprons, transfer patterns, crapes, flowers, feathers etc.

Jewelry, scarf pins, shirt studs, brooches, collar buttons, ear-rings, bracelets and other goods too numerous to mention.

GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE LANDS, WADDINGTON ALLEY AND TOPAZ AVENUE.

ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27th, AT 11 A.M.

I have been instructed to sell at my salesroom, Wharf street, Victoria, by virtue of a certain mortgage dated 9th March, 1893, and registered 21st April, 1893, in Charge Book Vol. 11, Folio 851, No. 14451B, in the Lands Registry Office, Victoria, all those pieces or parcels of lands known as, viz, Subdivisions 5 and 6 of Lot 190,

WADDINGTON ALLEY.

Also part of Lot or Subdivision 29, being portion of Section V., Victoria District, now within Victoria City, having a frontage of 131 feet on Topaz Avenue and 195 feet on Fourth street, more or less, which is a continuation of Quadra street, and extends through the Tomlie Estate to the Saanich Road. This property will be sold in two lots, the north and south halves. Terms of sale, one half cash, balance on mortgage 7 per cent. per annum.

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